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POINTS OF THIS MORNING'S NEWS

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The Times.

TODAY'S BULLETIN—NOVEMBER 24, 1893.

(BY TELEGRAPH.) The Honolulu steamer arrives; the Queen not on the throne; reports of new action by Secretary Gresham.... A big fire in Detroit—Men jump from windows and are killed.... Fires in New York and elsewhere.... An important commercial transaction in Samoa with political trimmings.... The Mexicans ready to co-operate with the California Fruit-growers' Association.... Directum and Aladin matched to race.... Ives beat Shafer in last night's billiard game.... An outline of the new tariff.... Spreckels sues the Hawaiian Commercial Company.... Burning of the ship Gosford off Point Conception.... Train-wreck near Grand Rapids.

NOTABLE LOCAL OCCURRENCES.

Third day of the Fruit-growers' Convention—Resolution endorsing the State Board of Horticulture adopted.... Meeting of the Merchants' Association—Preliminary steps taken for holding an auxiliary fruit and flower fair.... Further hearing of the Langford will contest.... Organization of a county Midwinter Fair Committee.... A vicious case of persecution against a railroad man.... The Crystal Springs case still on trial.

GENERAL.

A Pomona man's exciting experience with a lunatic on the public streets.... Preliminary examination into the Palms cutting affray.... Pasadena's first job of street paving finally completed.... Latest developments in the Montalvo scandal.... The cruiser Olympia at Santa Barbara.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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light to fresh westerly winds.

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LOST, STRAYED—

And Found.

FOUND—IN OUR PASTURE, AT LYNN-

wood station, 3 miles south of Los

angeles, a sorrel mare, with a halter. Owner

FOOLING THEM.

The Hawaiians Expect a Protectorate

Because Minister Willis Talked Once Sweetly

To a Committee from the American League.

OH, WHAT A DIFFERENCE

In the Morning When He Gets to Work.

No Official Intimation When the Vessel Left

That the Queen Was Soon to Be Restored.

ONLY RUMOR, NOTHING MORE.

The Former Occupant of the Throne Calls on Our Representative—Secretary Gresham Doubts the Correctness of the Dispatches—Interviews.

By Telegram to The Times.

HONOLULU, Nov. 14.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press, Copy-

righted, 1893, via San Francisco, Nov. 23.) The main change in the political

situation since the steamer Australia

sailed has been one of increased strain

and greater business depression. Since

his formal call to present his creden-

tials, Minister Willis has not communi-

cated officially with the government.

The most significant happening which

has taken place occurred on last Mon-

day, when a committee of the Ameri-

can League, a lately-organized auxil-

iary of the Annexation Club, called on

the new Minister.

After welcoming Mr. Willis, the com-

mittee stated that the members of the

league earnestly desired that the Ha-

waiian Islands should become a part

of the United States, and, with that

object in view, the organization will

support the present provisional govern-

ment of Hawaii, and, in all honorable

ways, aid in accomplishing annexa-

tion. The address also contained an

offer of aid, if, at any time, the Min-

ister saw fit to command them.

THE REPLY.

Minister Willis's answer has not yet

been announced here, as the committee

is pledged to secrecy, but the Associ-

ated Press is enabled, after diligent

inquiry and careful comparison of the

versions of the Minister's remarks, as

remembered by three members of the

committee, to give the following

report. After welcoming the members

of his reply. After welcoming the

committee, and speaking in pleasant

terms of his visit to Hawaii, Minister

Willis said:

"I am an ardent American. I would

like to see the Stars and Stripes waving

not only over Hawaii, but over all the

islands of the Pacific, or any other ter-

ritories which would be beneficial to

the United States. I have my instructions,

which I cannot divulge. You will un-

derstand this; but this much I can

say—that the policy of the United

States is already formulated, regarding

these islands, and that nothing which

can be said or done, either here or

there, can avail anything now. I do

not come here as did Mr. Blount, I

come to act. When the proper time

arrives, I shall act. I am sorry I

cannot tell you when or how.

sharpshooters was stationed in the

executive building last night, and will

be continued until the regular

troops until the matter is settled one

way or the other. As a further precau-

tion, the government has issued thirty

rounds of extra ammunition to each

member of the citizens' reserve guard.

Between dark and 12 o'clock last night,

two Cabinet members called to see

Minister Willis to consider the situation.

At the first were present, besides the Cab-

inet, several members of the Advisory

Council, together with Col. J. H. Soper,

of the military, and Marshal Hitch-

cock, of the police department.

At 11 o'clock this morning President

Dole paid a visit to U. S. Philadel-

phia and was received with a national

salute of twenty-one guns. At 11:30 he

returned, and was accorded the usual

salute.

LOOKS QUEER.

Last Monday morning the ex-Queen

somewhat unexpectedly called to see

Minister Willis, at the United States

Legation. She was accompanied by her

former chamberlain. She remained at

the Legation about twenty minutes.

Minister Willis has not yet returned

the call. The ex-Queen's action has cre-

ated much unfavorable comment. It

surprised the Royalists, as well as the

annexationists.

This afternoon, November 16, the

Minister of Finance will submit a state-

ment at the regular session of the coun-

cil, which will show the financial con-

dition of the finances of the govern-

ment.

ISLAND GOSPEL.

It has been learned from semi-official

sources that the reason of Admiral

Skerrett's recall from this station was

because he personally attended a ball

given by the Annexation Club, to the

officers of the U. S. S. Boston, as a

farewell, and to the officers of the

U. S. S. Philadelphia, as a welcome.

The steamer Miowara floats in Hono-

lulu Harbor, after being forty-one days

on the reef at the entrance. The vessel

after repeated examinations made by

divers, is pronounced not to be seriously

injured, and, at the present writing, it

is thought she can be sufficiently re-

paired to proceed to San Francisco. She

now awaits the orders of her owners.

Thomas H. Davies is still here work-

ing at his plan for a political compro-

mise in favor of Princess Kaiulani,

but thus far has met with little suc-

cess. The rumor that he had gained a fol-

lowing in the Advisory Council is un-

founded.

Admiral Irwin was officially received

at the executive building on Saturday

November 11, at 1:30 p. m., with mil-

itary honors. Upon the arrival and

departure of the party, the government

band played the American national

air.

The agitation for the removal of the

Royalists from office will probably rest

in abeyance until something definite is

heard from Minister Willis.

WILLIS'S CORRECTIONS.

I have just had an interview with

Minister Willis. He declares that the

first part of the reply he made to the

American League should be qualified to

"would like to see the Stars and

FOSTER COMMERCE.

Mexico Will Assist in Promoting Trade.

A Representative of California Fruit-growers

Making a Business Tour of Our Sister Republic.

Speckels Charges Fraud Against the Hawaiian Commercial Company—Loss of the Onondaga—The Cruiser Olympia—Cleaning Elsewhere.

By Telegram to The Times.
CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) C. E. Spaniol, representative of the California Fruit-growers' Association, is in Mexico, for the purpose of fostering trade relations between the republic and California. He is due to arrive in the City of Mexico in a day or two. He is expected to visit other cities on the line of the Mexican Central.

Mexico is anxious to give all assistance possible in this commercial movement, looking to the cheapening of the price and improving the quality of California products. The railroads have already pledged themselves as to reasonable freight rates, and commission merchants are already making ready response to the solicitations of California's representative.

WILL DRAW CROWDS.

The Midwinter Fair to be the Cynosure of the People's Eyes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) The financial management of the Midwinter Exposition are pleased to announce today that the cash subscription to the fair has reached \$100,000 mark, and with half as much again in sight, have every reason to be jubilant.

One of the principal attractions to be seen in the Swiss exhibit will be a herd of twenty-five Swiss cows, which come from the celebrated convent of St. Bernard, high up in the Alps. The value of these cows is very great, one of them being valued at \$20,000.

Companies interested in the transportation of fruit in refrigerator cars from California are arranging for an elaborate display inside the fair grounds, which will be held in the Midway Plaisance in Chicago. The fruit-cars are being built expressly for the Exposition. The international beauty show, which was such an attraction in the Midway Plaisance in Chicago, will be held in the exhibition grounds. Forty young ladies constitute the party, and all types of beauty will be represented.

They will be raised in the Midway Plaisance, in front of which will be a strong brass band to prevent the "willy-boy" from becoming too ardent an admirer. An order is issued for the arrest of a man, stating that a notable county exhibit will be made of its ore, minerals and mining methods. Great rivalry is expected among the mining counties as to which will make the most effective display.

The California Bankers' Association has agreed to hold its next State convention in San Francisco, in conjunction with the Midwinter Exposition. The date will be between February 22 and March 15.

THE SHIP WENT DOWN.

Further Particulars of the Loss of the Gosford.

LOMPOC, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) The ship Gosford, Capt. W. S. Chapman, of the Ford line of Glasgow, laden with coal on fire, was scuttled and sunk off Point Conception late on Wednesday.

The Gosford left Birkenhead, Scotland, July 8, freighted with 3500 tons of coal, consigned to J. B. Speckels of San Francisco. On Friday, November 17, off the Mexican coast, smoke was found issuing from the deck, and upon examination the engine room was found to be on fire. Every appliance was brought to bear to save the cargo in the ship, but to no purpose.

On reaching Santa Barbara, Channel on Wednesday the tug Castor took the ship in tow for San Francisco, but, on reaching Point Arguilla, it was found that the ship was on fire, and the captain decided to beach her. The heat became so intense that all hands had to leave, and she went down. The ship was on fire for six men, were safely landed and found every attention from Capt. P. L. Perry at the lighthouse.

NO JUST SO.

SANTA BARBARA, Nov. 23.—The tug Monarch arrived here, late this afternoon, from Cojo, with Third Mate Humphrey and fifteen men from the burning ship Gosford. The report from Lompoc was that the ship was scuttled and sunk is not correct.

The latest news from the Gosford was brought by the steamer Bonita, arriving tonight. The Bonita had passed the ship, about 3 o'clock, the tug Fearless was alongside pumping the burning vessel full of water with the probability of extinguishing the fire. All aboard, except the captain and masts, had been burned.

THE SWIFT ONE.

Cruiser Olympia Will Have Her Official Trial Today.

SANTA BARBARA, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) The cruiser Olympia arrived in the harbor this morning. She first appeared in the channel at 9:15 o'clock, and steamed to the eastern end of the course and turned, going only at moderate speed. She came to anchor about 10:30.

The officers on board report a good trip down. No effort was made to force the speed trial for the official trial was made tomorrow morning over a forty-three-knot course to Point Conception and return.

The trip of the Olympia from San Francisco was most successful. The machinery worked well, and without a break. When Santa Barbara Channel was reached, the official trial was made, working over the western end of the official course, over which she runs tomorrow, and went east against a current of 0.49 knots, making 43 knots at an average speed of 15.61 knots per hour. No attempt was made to show the maximum speed or power.

While going over the course today all officers were practiced in routine duties for tomorrow's official trial. The arrangements for getting the exact revolutions of the engines from the deck at the same instant that the shore marks are in line, proved very satisfactory, and photographs taken of the beacons or shore marks show that they were absolutely in line at the instant the time signal was given.

Everything having been perfected to-

IVES NOW AHEAD.

He Leads His Adversary by 172 Points.

Steady All-around Playing, but Not Brilliant.

The Chicagoan Makes Some Remarkable Averages

Opening of the Washington Jockey Club's Fall Meeting—Race at Nashville and San Francisco—Aladdin and Directum Matched.

By Telegram to The Times.
CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) In tonight's play, the Ives-Shaeffer billiard tournament was resumed in Ives's favor, the score standing, Ives, 937; Shaeffer, 628. Total score, Ives 2400, Shaeffer 2228. To-night's averages were: Ives, 287-35; Shaeffer, 177-33-35. The night was marked by a steady, all-around playing, with no brilliant achievements.

BAY DISTRICT.
Cicero Wins the Mile-and-a-half Hurdle Race.
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) Six furlongs: Ranger (8 to 5) won, El Reno (10 to 1) second, Coclico (10 to 1) third; time 1:13.

Six furlongs: Geon (5 to 2) won, Tim Murphy (7 to 5) second, Donohue (10 to 1) third; time 1:12.

One mile: Steadfast (4 to 6) won, Red Cloud (8 to 1) second, Blizzard (7 to 2) third; time 1:42.

One mile and a half: over six hurdles: Cicero (4 to 2) won, Cuchara (10 to 1) second, San Jose (2 to 1) third; time 2:35.

Five furlongs: Ida Glenn (5 to 2) won, Pat (10 to 1) second, Nellie Van (6 to 1) third; time 1:02.

THE ENTRIES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Tomorrow's entries are as follows: Six furlongs, selling: Bill Howard, 110 pounds; Gorman, 109; Inkerman, 108; Patricia, 109; Ricardo, 87; Georgetown, 12; Jacobin, 103; Charger, 109; Sir Reginald, 94.

One mile and six furlongs, Fame stakes, 118 pounds: Sir Reel, 118; Duke Stevens, 118; Conch, 118; Alliance, 115; Grandee, 115; Fideles, 115; Letellia, 115; Greenhook, 115.

One mile, selling: Pat O'Neill, 118 pounds; Joe, 94; Valparaiso, 81; Currier, 104; Greenhook, 108; El Reno, 109; Rush, 112; Claqueur, 98; Joe Hooker, 91.

Five furlongs, selling, two-year-olds: Gladia, 107 pounds; Tine, 95; Lash, 107; Miss Fletcher, 107; Jovita, 95; Last Chance, 120; Bordeaux, 107; Warrago, 104; Tillie S., 107; La Reina, 103.

Six furlongs, maidens, all ages: Red Chief, 88 pounds; Raphael, 91; Long O'R, 170; Ariel, 114; Lovelade, 94; San Jacinto, 110; Connaught, 114; Fortuna, 91.

The race was a tight one tonight. The track is good.

A BAD OPENING.

The Washington Jockey Club's Track Fellock Deep in Mud.

BENNING, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) A gloomy day, slim attendance and tedious delays at the post made the opening day of the fall meeting of the Washington Jockey Club anything but prosperous.

The track was fellock deep in water. The steeplechase was delayed on account of darkness. Summary:

Five furlongs: Captain Brown won, Aurelian second, Artillery third; time 1:02.

Five and one-half furlongs: Addie Gyp second, Billy S. third; time 1:10.

Six furlongs: Ontario won, West Park second, Rama third; time 1:17.

Four and one-half furlongs: Evers won, Crevasse second, Bernite third; time 1:45.

Six furlongs: Santanella won, Pearl Top second, Euphualus third; time 1:21.

AT NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, Nov. 23.—The track was fair.

Six furlongs: In Front won, Dina second, Billy Hartigan third; time 1:20.

One mile and a sixteenth: Radford won, Michel second, Falero third; time 1:54.

Four and one-half furlongs: Evers won, Crevasse second, Bernite third; time 1:45.

Six furlongs: Harry Weldon won, Josie D. second, Prince Kinney third; time 1:18.

One mile and a sixteenth: Henry Jenson won, Somerset second, Indigo third; time 1:52.

A MATCH RACE.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.—A match race for a purse of \$5000, between Directum, the king of trotters, and Aladdin, the king of pacers, is announced for next Thursday at Point Breeze.

K. OF L.

The Hayes Faction Elects Two of the General Officers.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) At the meeting of the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor today, the election of officers was continued. There were two candidates for general worthy foreman: Michael J. Bishop of Massachusetts, recognized as a candidate of the Hayes faction, and the incumbent of the office, Hugh Cavanaugh of Cincinnati. The election stood: Bishop, 25; Cavanaugh, 21.

The Hayes forces again carried their candidates to victory when the election of general secretary and treasurer was ordered. The vote standing: Hayes, 25; Bishop, 21.

One of the anti-administration delegates said that if the election of general master workman had gone over until today Powderly would have shared Cavanaugh's fate. "It's Powderly's methods we are fighting more than the man himself, and he now has been turning to mend his ways or get out. He has been dictator and summed up run things to suit himself long enough."

"The result of the election is not a compromise," he said. "It is a straight fight for supremacy—that is all there is about it."

PENSION CERTIFICATES.

Important Modifications of the Law Governing Their Issuance.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) Commissioner of Pensions Lochren today issued the following important order simplifying the practice of the bureau in the adjudication of claims under the famous act of June 27, 1890.

"Pension certificates issued under the second section of the act of June 27, 1890, will no longer specify the particu-

FOOLING THEM.

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ONE WAY OF LOOKING AT IT.

More Likely That the Queen Has Asked for the Restoration of Her Throne.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) An afternoon paper's Washington special says that the Queen is advanced that before the next steamer arrives at San Francisco, the Queen may have been restored, overthrown again and a republic established, and says:

"If true, so be it; this administration will have done its duty in undoing the wrong done by Stevens. If, after being restored, the Queen cannot hold on to her throne, that is her lookout."

IN OFFICIAL CIRCLES.

The Advice Received With Interest by the President and Secretary.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) At the White House considerable interest was apparent. Private Secretary Thurber carried the information of the arrival of the news from Cleveland, who was in the private apartments of the White House busily engaged upon his message. Secretary Herbert is out of the city.

The dispatch from San Francisco that the Hawaiian Queen had not been restored to her throne, was shown to Secretary Gresham, and he said:

"That's not surprising to me. I was not expecting to hear by this steamer that she had been restored."

The Secretary was very much interested, though, apparently, upon the dispatch, the Secretary said there must be very much contained in the dispatch that was not true. He had special reference to the part which quoted Minister Willis. He did not think Willis made even the remarks which were given as correct.

The Secretary said Willis ought not to talk, as stated, and he did not believe Willis would talk to anybody as he was quoted in the dispatch, as he was a careful, conservative man. Upon the point as to whether Willis would wait until further instructions were received before he acted, Gresham would say nothing. Neither would he make any comments upon the reports that the provisional government was making such preparations for resistance.

It was declared by an officer of the State Department that no additional instructions had been sent Willis on either of the vessels that had left for Hawaii, and that he would act without anything more being sent.

Upon reading the statement that Admiral Skerrett was recalled for attending a ball given by the American Club, Secretary Gresham said: "Absurd."

The statement contained in a letter received in San Francisco from private correspondent in Honolulu that the provisional government was under arms all night preceding the departure of the Alameda, attracted the Secretary's special interest. "If that is true," he said, "it is not likely that the provisional government would have failed to know it and speak of it in his letter. I think there are many inaccurate statements in the letter."

Regarding the assertion that Minister Willis had said he would do nothing until he heard from the State Department, the Secretary would say nothing. The statement that some action was to be taken during the week following the departure of the Alameda, is regarded as significant, tallying, as it does, with the well-defined rumor circulated in Washington on Tuesday that the Queen was to be restored on that day.

AT THE LEGATION.

At the Hawaiian Legation, Minister Thurston had nothing to say on the news reported. W. N. Armstrong, of the Hawaiian Legation, said: "The friends of the provisional government feel that any delay that brings the time nearer when the provisional government shall receive the news of the reception accorded by the public to Secretary Gresham's letter gives added assurance that the plan to restore the Queen will be frustrated. For this reason, any delay that brings the time nearer when the provisional government shall receive the news of the reception accorded by the public to Secretary Gresham's letter gives added assurance that the plan to restore the Queen will be frustrated."

The earliest date at which the news can reach the outside world by the ordinary channels is December 7, when the steamer Warimoo will arrive at Auckland, whence the news can be cabled. The news may be received via Vancouver on December 9.

SPECULATION.

It was largely a day of speculation at the Capitol regarding the situation in Hawaii. It seems the report which came by the way of New Zealand that President Cleveland had determined to restore the Queen was a surprise to the administration. The manner in which Mr. Willis had been performing his mission only adds more mystery to the situation.

It has been the theory that it would be the policy of Willis to allow the restoration to become so great that the supporters of the Queen would organize and establish her government before any clash between the Queen's supporters and the forces of the provisional government; then, upon demonstrations being made, the marines from the Philadelphia would be landed for the purpose of protecting American life and property, and, when the Queen had accumulated sufficient strength to warrant it, Mr. Willis would recognize her.

Theories and speculations were indulged in all the more, because up to 5:30 o'clock this afternoon, it was denied that the State Department, which Mr. Willis had been performing his mission only adds more mystery to the situation.

It is believed, however, that some official information was received, the nature of which it is not possible to obtain. The dispatches today seem to indicate to the administration what it heretofore asserted—that the provisional government still stands because it feels it is backed by the moral support of the United States, and that thus far its acts have been approved by this government. At the same time it is evident that the preparations for armed resistance to the Royalists which the provisional government is making, give the officials of the administration no little concern.

IF IT IS TRUE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 23.—In an interview, Senator Voorhees said, relative

WAYS AND MEANS.

The Income Tax an Assured Fact—Changes in Internal Revenue.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.)

It has been decided by the first committee of Ways and Means that an income tax will be adopted as part of the new revenue system, and the details of the plan will be left to Messrs. McMillin, Bryan and Montgomery. The changes in the internal revenue schedule contemplate an increase of 10 cents per gallon on whiskey, and slight modifications of the tobacco tax.

Several hundred petitions, today, inundated the committee with requests for repeal of a duty of 35 cents per bushel be imposed on all leaf tobacco. It appears to be the intention of the committee to reduce the duty from 35 to 25 cents per bushel.

NO GREAT CHANGE.

The Lehigh Valley Road Moving Some Trains.

Many More That They are Not Moving—The Brotherhood Makes a Denial—Coal Branches are Now Tied-up.

By Telegram to The Times.
JERSEY CITY, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) The Lehigh Valley strike situation is without material change. The company is increasing slowly the number of moving freight trains. Orders have been issued to the Fourth Regiment, and the First Regiment of Philadelphia will be in readiness for any emergency.

In Wilkesbarre and Wyoming, 15,000 miners are out of work on account of the strike. A number of engineers and firemen from the West have arrived.

NOT BROTHERHOOD MEN.

GALVESTON, Nov. 23.—The Brotherhood men, who are the engineers who have gone East to take the places of the strikers on the Lehigh road from this city and Burlington are not Brotherhood men, but mostly men who took the strikers' places in the great Burlington strike a few years ago.

POTTSVILLE (Pa.) Nov. 23.—No trains of any kind are running on the Lehigh coal branches. The tie-up of all traffic is complete. Officers are trying to get out a few trains themselves.

PRACTICALLY SUSPENDED.

SHAMOKIN (Pa.) Nov. 23.—(The Associated Press.) The Lehigh Valley coal branches, between Shamokin, Mt. Carmel, Delano, and Mauch Chunk, and freight traffic was practically suspended.

THE TARIFF.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) The Herald's Washington correspondent claims to give an accurate outline of the new tariff bill as far as determined. The most salient points are that the free list is to include nearly all raw cotton and materials which enter into manufacturing; wool; hair of camel and goat, bituminous coal, iron ore, lumber, salt, silver, lead, hemp, flax, and jute and a large number of chemicals.

Woolen and linen manufacturers also get the benefit of an extension of six months to six months to work finished products.

Steel rails will probably be put at \$8 or \$9 a ton. Pig iron will be put at 50 cents, and valorem, and bar iron will be reduced at least 50 per cent. Tin plate will be charged 1 cent a pound.

DERAILED.

A Chicago Train Upset and Eight People Hurt.

GRAND RAPIDS (Mich.) Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) The fast express on the Chicago and West Michigan road, which left Chicago at 6 p.m. yesterday, was derailed by a freight car, and eight people were hurt, and two of them seriously, but so far as is known now, none were killed.

THE FIRE CHIEF.

New Developments in the Situation Yesterday.

There were no new developments yesterday in the fire chief matter. There were a number of rumors in circulation to the effect that resignations might be looked for, but nothing definite could be learned. There is no question but what the councilmen are opposed to Moriarty, which opposition is based principally on the ground that he is physically incapable of filling the place, and that the property interests at stake are too great to be jeopardized by a gratuitous sentiment. But besides this, it is urged that during the last election Moriarty was particularly active in fighting Mr. Strohm, and resorted to tactics which are not even fair in politics, in that he sought to bring the friends of that gentleman to particularly indignant over the appointment. There are other complications which are causing more or less annoyance. Among others Ed Smith claims that Mayor Rowan promised him the place, and the friends of that gentleman are particularly indignant over the appointment. There are other complications which are causing more or less annoyance. Among others Ed Smith claims that Mayor Rowan promised him the place, and the friends of that gentleman are particularly indignant over the appointment. There are other complications which are causing more or less annoyance. Among others Ed Smith claims that Mayor Rowan promised him the place, and the friends of that gentleman are particularly indignant over the appointment.

The friends of the election is not a compromise," he said. "It is a straight fight for supremacy—that is all there is about it."

Deputy Sheriff Wray Let Out.

Sheriff Cline yesterday requested Deputy John C. Wray to hand in his resignation, which he did. As no charges were made against Wray, in fact Mr. Cline stating that there was no complaint of any kind against him, and that his work has been in every way satisfactory, the presumption is that he was removed to make a place for another man, presumably Henry McClure of Boyle Heights, formerly a deputy under Sheriff Gibson, and also his predecessor. The appointment has not, however, been announced.

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ONE WAY OF LOOKING AT IT.

More Likely That the Queen Has Asked for the Restoration of Her Throne.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) An afternoon paper's Washington special says that the Queen is advanced that before the next steamer arrives at San Francisco, the Queen may have been restored, overthrown again and a republic established, and says:

"If true, so be it; this administration will have done its duty in undoing the wrong done by Stevens. If, after being restored, the Queen cannot hold on to her throne, that is her lookout."

IN OFFICIAL CIRCLES.

The Advice Received With Interest by the President and Secretary.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(By the Associated Press.) At the White House considerable interest was apparent. Private Secretary Thurber carried the information of the arrival of the news from Cleveland, who was in the private apartments of the White House busily engaged upon his message. Secretary Herbert is out of the city.

The dispatch from San Francisco that the Hawaiian Queen had not been restored to her throne, was shown to Secretary Gresham, and he said:

"That's not surprising to me. I was not expecting to hear by this steamer that she had been restored."

The Secretary was very much interested, though, apparently, upon the dispatch, the Secretary said there must be very much contained in the dispatch that was not true. He had special reference to the part which quoted Minister Willis. He did not think Willis made even the remarks which were given as correct.

The Secretary said Willis ought not to talk, as stated, and he did not believe Willis would talk to anybody as he was quoted in the dispatch, as he was a careful, conservative man. Upon the point as to whether Willis would wait until further instructions were received before he acted, Gresham would say nothing. Neither would he make any comments upon the reports that the provisional government was making such preparations for resistance.

It was declared by an officer of the State Department that no additional instructions had been sent Willis on either of the vessels that had left for Hawaii, and that he would act without anything more being sent.

Upon reading the statement that Admiral Skerrett was recalled for attending a ball given by the American Club, Secretary Gresham said: "Absurd."

The statement contained in a letter received in San Francisco from private correspondent in Honolulu that the provisional government was under arms all night preceding the departure of the Alameda, attracted the Secretary's special interest. "If that is true," he said, "it is not likely that the provisional government would have failed to know it and speak of it in his letter. I think there are many inaccurate statements in the letter."

Regarding the assertion that Minister Willis had said he would do nothing until he heard from the State Department, the Secretary would say nothing. The statement that some action was to be taken during the week following the departure of the Alameda, is regarded as significant, tallying, as it does, with the well-defined rumor circulated in Washington on Tuesday that the Queen was to be restored on that day.

AT THE LEGATION.

At the Hawaiian Legation, Minister Thurston had nothing to say on the news reported. W. N. Armstrong, of the Hawaiian Legation, said: "The friends of the provisional government feel that any delay that brings the time nearer when the provisional government shall receive the news of the reception accorded by the public to Secretary Gresham's letter gives added assurance that the plan to restore the Queen will be frustrated. For this reason, any delay that brings the time nearer when the provisional government shall receive the news of the reception accorded by the public to Secretary Gresham's letter gives added assurance that the plan to restore the Queen will be frustrated."

The earliest date at which the news can reach the outside world by the ordinary channels is December 7, when the steamer Warimoo will arrive at Auckland, whence the news can be cabled. The news may be received via Vancouver on December 9.

SPECULATION.

It was largely a day of speculation at the Capitol regarding the situation in Hawaii. It seems the report which came by the way of New Zealand that President Cleveland had determined to restore the Queen was a surprise to the administration. The manner in which Mr. Willis had been performing his mission only adds more mystery to the situation.

It has been the theory that it would be the policy of Willis to allow the restoration to become so great that the supporters of the Queen would organize and establish her government before any clash between the Queen's supporters and the forces of the provisional government; then, upon demonstrations being made, the marines from the Philadelphia would be landed for the purpose of protecting American life and property, and, when the Queen had accumulated sufficient strength to warrant it, Mr. Willis would recognize her.

Theories and speculations were indulged in all the more, because up to 5:30 o'clock this afternoon, it was denied that the State Department, which Mr. Willis had been performing his mission only adds more mystery to the situation.

It is believed, however, that some official information was received, the nature of which it is not possible to obtain. The dispatches today seem to indicate to the administration what it heretofore asserted—that the provisional government still stands because it feels it is backed by the moral support of the United States, and that thus far its acts have been approved by this government. At the same time it is evident that the preparations for armed resistance to the Royalists which the provisional government is making, give the officials of the administration no little concern.

IF IT IS TRUE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 23.—In an interview, Senator Voorhees said, relative

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"WHY THE REPUBLICANS WON."

The Times will publish on Sunday, November 26, a timely syndicate symposium, entitled, "Why the Republicans Won," which will include signed contributions from Senator Sherman (1000 words), ex-President Harrison (1000 words), and ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed (2000 words). These full expressions of opinion from the ablest Republican leaders have been procured at great expense, and will attract wide attention.

We shall supplement this symposium with another, tabulated December 3, and entitled, "Why We Were Defeated," in which Senator David B. Hill will reply to Senator Sherman, Congressman W. L. Wilson to ex-Speaker Reed, and Don M. Dickinson, or some other Western Democrat, of equal standing, to ex-President Harrison. Each symposium will be accompanied by fine portraits of the contributors.

Is the Ocean Free?

The report of the Traffic Association of California, which was submitted at the annual meeting of the association last month, contains much interesting reading in regard to the work which has been accomplished by the association. The organization of this movement was something of a surprise to those who are acquainted with that class of merchants in San Francisco, to whom Arthur McEwen is fond of referring to as "prominent citizens." They had so long submitted patiently to the monopoly which controlled the commerce of San Francisco that it naturally created much surprise when they took this bold step and banded together for the purpose of securing relief.

The present association was largely inspired by the abuses practiced by the Transcontinental Association, and it was thought that a disruption of that organization and the discontinuance of the payment of subsidy to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company by the transcontinental roads would be a long move in the right direction.

The association now reports that the Transcontinental Association is completely broken up, and the subsidy of the Pacific Mail ceased December 31, 1892. The clipper line, which was organized a year and a half ago, almost wholly by members of the association, is still in successful operation, and has completely broken up the domination over that route by the overland roads. In the month of February this year, the contract between the Pacific Mail Company and the Panama Railroad Company expired, after an existence of fifteen years, and was not renewed because of the refusal of the Panama company to continue as a subsidized line, they believing that with co-operation they could build up a legitimate traffic business on the route left by the Pacific Mail. Another feather in the cap of the Traffic Association was the formation of the North American Navigation Company, and the contract which was obtained with the Panama Railroad Company. It is believed that the continuation of this company will lead to a complete disruption of the Pacific Mail. The difference in the cost of freight by this route and by rail is immense.

The Southern Pacific Company at once declared war, making immense reductions in its rates, but the merchants for once appear to have stood by the opposition line after an encouraging fashion. One of the results of this battle between the railroads and the merchants has been to show to what extent the roads rely for their profits on keeping down ocean competition. A case which shows how this sometimes works was quoted a few days ago in the Times from the San Francisco Chronicle. It is a suit brought by the United States against 250 kegs of nails and other merchandise which were seized at Redondo over a year ago. On account of the combination of the Pacific Mail and the Southern Pacific at that time freight rates were so high that the shippers found it cheaper to transport their goods from New York to California by way of Europe. They could not secure an American ship at reasonable rates, and therefore sent the goods to Antwerp on a Belgian vessel, where they were re-shipped on a British vessel for Redondo. This was done because it would have been against the law to ship from New York to California in a foreign vessel. Even by this round-about route, the shippers found that they saved from \$3 to \$4 per ton on the freight against the cheapest route controlled by the combination. Before shipping in this manner, the New York merchants got a favorable ruling from the Treasury Department, but as soon as it was seen that this plan would cut into the freight business of the combination, the department changed its mind and sent out instructions to make the seizure, which involved goods to the value of \$250,000.

This is certainly a matter which should be looked into. The merchants and producers of this Coast have come to contend with already. The ocean is at our door, and shippers are making an attempt to secure the

benefits of competition by that route, even though goods have to be sent half way around the world. If the government intends to stand in with the transportation monopoly and cast unnecessary obstacles in the way of ocean competition, it will be well for our merchants to know it as soon as possible, in order that they may take steps to protect themselves. Meantime, there is evidently a wide field of usefulness open for such organizations as the Traffic Association of California.

The Commitment of the Insane.

There is an abuse which has been growing in this land of freedom of which the general public have little knowledge. If they had, it is certain that a loud and general demand would be made for reform in this direction. It is a subject which for many years has engaged the descriptive powers of European authors, and has served as the foundation for many powerful and sensational stories. We refer to the facilities with which persons can be railroaded into insane asylums. Only a few weeks ago the case of an innocent person having been so incarcerated in San Francisco led to an investigation by one of the papers, during which the startling fact was discovered that people were sometimes sent to madhouses on the order of a physician who had never seen them, much less examined them. This disclosure led to an immediate reform, which may or may not last. An Ohio exchange has the following to say on this subject:

"The custom, which has become almost a common law in many States, of permitting the testimony of two physicians to consign a man or woman to an asylum for the insane, seems to have excited simultaneous hostility throughout the United States and Great Britain. Powerful organizations are moving through the influence of literature and through the courts, to break down the common custom and make necessary something more than the 'use of a couple of men's names' as a pretext for the confinement of a man or woman of liberty for an indefinite period. The particular case which has brought this state of affairs prominently before the public was that of Irene House, recently discharged from the Ontario (N. Y.) asylum for the insane on a writ of habeas corpus. She had been committed on the 8th of last month upon the usual testimony of two physicians, and her counsel has set up the plea that the commitment was in violation of a constitutional guarantee of notice of trial, and a trial by jury. The superintendent of the asylum from which she was released testified that 90 per cent of the inmates of the asylum were there on the say-so of two physicians. The judgment of one physician and the testimony of two witnesses before a probate judge are necessary for commitment to an asylum for lunatics in Ohio."

The restrictions which are thrown around commitments to insane asylums are no greater here than they are in New Jersey. A man or woman can be committed to an insane asylum from Los Angeles on the testimony of two physicians. It is unnecessary to point out what cross evils may attach to such an unreasonable system. There are always people who have an object in getting others out of the way, for various reasons, and who do not shrink at perjury and crime in order to accomplish their purpose. Nor is it difficult for them, if they are provided with money, to obtain willing tools to do their dirty work. Unfortunately, physicians are not all men of probity and honor. There is a considerable minority who possess neither of these qualities, but are ready to undertake any nefarious work for a sufficient consideration. Of this we are frequently reminded of the doings of that class of practitioners in San Francisco. Yet another class there is who, like the apothecary in "Romeo and Juliet" say: "My poverty and not my will consents." From whatever cause these men may act, however, it is unnecessary to emphasize the danger which attaches to the fact that two such men have the power to commit a man or woman to a living tomb. There are a number of physicians who hang around the Court-house waiting for a job to turn up, in the line of an autopsy, inquest or the examination of a person charged with insanity. We believe that in examinations of the insane, the fee is only \$5. It is easy to see how great the temptation may be for an impetuous doctor to stretch his conscience a little, and give the complainant the benefit of the doubt, when there is a chance to multiply that fee ten to twenty times.

The law in regard to committing the insane, as it at present exists here, is as most dangerous one, and should be changed without delay. In connection with such a change it might be well to appoint a committee to visit the different insane asylums of the State, and ascertain whether any persons who are imprisoned there are of sound minds.

The growth of the order of Odd Fellows has been something remarkable. At the session which is now being held in St. Louis it is shown that the total membership, including the Sisters of Rebecca branch, is now over one million. The increase of membership in 1892 was over fifty thousand. The Odd Fellows organization is strictly an American order, it having been separated at an early date from the English order of the same name, with which it has nothing in common, although the two are frequently confounded by Europeans.

Clearing-house Statistics.

Some erroneous ideas have been created in business circles in reference to the true significance of the weekly clearing-house statements, sent out from New York, by reason of the fact that the full report is frequently not given to the public by telegraph. The full statement, as compiled by Bradstreet, gives the clearing-house returns for each week for the following-named cities, together with the percentage of increase, or decrease, as compared with the corresponding week of the preceding year. The record by mail and reproduced below, is not the latest, but is given here merely to illustrate our point:

WEEKLY CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT.

City.	Clearings, Inc. Dec.
New York	\$514,116,852
Chicago	78,958,939
Boston	78,958,939
Philadelphia	77,326,028
St. Louis	18,082,689
San Francisco	11,037,224
Baltimore	12,137,669
Pittsburgh	11,137,567
Cincinnati	11,177,150
Kansas City	8,530,899
Minneapolis	7,134,294
New Orleans	10,529,818
Buffalo	8,214,397
Louisville	5,830,899
Detroit	5,102,281
Cleveland	4,459,439
Silwaukee	4,452,980
Omaha	5,068,682
Providence	6,590,900
Denver	2,303,574
St. Paul	3,657,888
Indianapolis	3,192,192
Columbus	3,029,700
Houston	9,219,169
Memphis	1,571,833
Richmond	1,759,658
Hartford	1,682,587
Portland, Or.	1,201,448
Washington	1,280,416
Dallas	2,191,700
Peoria	1,725,000
Savannah	3,383,411
St. Joseph	1,363,049
Dayton	1,363,049
Rochester	1,283,338
Atlanta	1,289,846
New Haven	1,254,784
Springfield, Mass.	1,254,784
Worcester	1,131,881
Portland, Me.	1,264,642
San Antonio	1,264,642
Seattle	1,510,829
Sioux City	557,624
Waco	2,816,218
Des Moines	985,512
Grand Rapids	704,622
Norfolk	1,229,417
LOS ANGELES	788,728
San Diego	788,728
Wilmington	788,728
Tacoma	587,121
Lowell	691,980
Lincoln	691,980
Wichita	314,497
Birmingham	125,914
Lexington, Ky.	128,447
New Bedford	40,247
Topeka	288,158
Spokane	204,274
Binghamton	272,000
Saginaw	408,302
Jacksonville	258,374
Emporia, Kan.	82,333
El Paso	804,761
Akron	75,497
Springfield, O.	183,462
Bay City	128,872
Hastings, Neb.	91,843
Chattanooga	106,719
Canton, O.	119,500
Fremont, Neb.	78,265
Fargo	112,139
Nashua	106,719
Galveston	8,912,725
Totals, U. S.	\$28,141,581
Excluding N. Y.	29.3

DOMINION OF CANADA.

Montreal	\$10,907,266
Toronto	5,555,412
Halifax	1,275,934
Hamilton	665,869
Totals	\$18,394,601

It will be noticed here that Los Angeles again appears in the column of increase, where she is usually found; but there are other cities in the same column, and some of them are ahead of ours in their figures. Los Angeles almost invariably makes a good showing in these clearing-house statements—a showing with which all her citizens of reasonable commercial ambition can justly be proud. It is necessary to use the complete table in making comparisons, if correct results are to be reached. Partial comparisons are misleading, and self-deception is one of the worst possible delusions that a community can indulge in.

The Californian Magazine devotes a number of its more or less valuable pages of the November issue—we do not know what rate it charges per line—to an illustrated article, descriptive of that miserable and frequently-exposed fraud which is known as the "penny picture." The accompanying illustrations show only the subject treated seriously, but the address is given of a lady, who, it is said, gets accurate spirit likenesses of anybody who will send her a piece of their hair. This is getting pretty low down, even for the Californian. We may expect to see it published an elaborately-illustrated "write-up" of the massage establishments, which abound in this city, and which are the source of the proprietresses. The Californian Magazine is to be described as a credit to the literature of the Pacific Coast. By the way, it is stated that the magazine is to be removed to Los Angeles. What have we done to deserve this?

There now appears to be a good chance that the Nevada Southern Railway will be completed. Almost \$40,000 has already been secured in Los Angeles, and some \$15,000 more is in sight. There is every probability that contracts for grading will be let in a few days, and then the dirt will soon begin to fly. This is good news for Los Angeles. The Times has so frequently insisted upon the importance of this enterprise that it is not necessary for us to again impress our readers with the advantages which will accrue from the completion of the line. It is sufficient to say that as soon as through connection with the Northwest by this route is assured, we shall see the inauguration of a new era in this city, an era of manufacturing and general progress all along the line.

MUSICAL GENTION.

The classical concert given last evening at the Los Angeles Theater by Forest Cheney, Miss June Reed and Miss Augustine Berger, assisted by local talent, was very pleasing musically, but scarcely a success financially. It is certainly not inspiring to an entertainer to play or sing to so nearly an empty house as that of last evening, and, without exception, those on the program deserve praise for the excellent manner in which they presented the entire numbers. The violinists were heard with close attention, and were warmly applauded. Mr. Cheney handles the violin with a precision which shows plainly his fondness for this instrument, and he inspired the orchestra to a fine performance. Well, Miss Berger's appearance was greeted with applause, and her encores were spontaneous and sincere. The

singing of Mrs. Washington Berry was one of the fine effects of the evening. She has a rich, sympathetic voice, and possesses the happy faculty of putting her soul into her music.

The complete program was as follows:

"Connais-tu le Pays" (A. Thomas) with violin obligato—Mrs. Washington Berry.
"Fais-la, C. sharp, minor, E minor (Chopin), Augustus, 40.
Romance, op. 40 (Beethoven)—June Reed.
"Va Va dit Elle" (Meyerbeer)—Mrs. C. Williams.
Concerto for violin (Mendelssohn)—Forest Cheney.
"To be Sung on the Waters" (Schubert)—Mrs. Washington Berry.
(a) "Wohin" (Schubert.) (b) "Trockne Blumen" (Schubert)—June Reed, Forest Cheney.
Fantaisie, Polonaise, op. 106 (Raff)—Augustine Berger.
Fantaisie Caprice (Vieuxtemps)—Forest Cheney.
Serenade (Schubert)—Mrs. C. Williams.
Lams.

THE VETERANS.

A large assemblage of old soldiers and sailors of the late war convened in Grand Army Hall, No. 612 South Spring street, Wednesday evening. This meeting had no connection with any of the Grand Army posts, but was open to all old soldiers, whether belonging to the G.A.R. or not. The meeting was called to order by J. M. Guinn as secretary, ex-Gov. Gosper stated that he had invited an old soldier from the country to come to the city, and he asked Gov. Sheldon to come forward. The Governor took the platform and proceeded to deny that he hailed from the country; he was from the city of Pasadena. Gov. Sheldon made a short address, brim full of patriotism. It aroused the veterans to a high pitch of enthusiasm. At the close he was greeted with three rousing cheers. Comrade Brooker offered the following resolutions:

"Whereas it is essential to the future welfare and good citizenship of our country that the children of our land be taught to reverence the memory of our liberty, and to respect the principle for which our veterans gave the best years of their lives—many of them in the public schools, and to present influx of foreign immigrants and the large percentage of foreigners of all grades of society who are admitted to citizenship in the United States and the foreign ideas of government being promulgated throughout our country are doing much to lessen the hold of our institutions upon the minds of our young; therefore,

"Resolved, that it is the sense of this meeting of ex-Union soldiers and sailors, that a committee consisting of five of our number be appointed to petition the county and city superintendents of schools and the teachers employed in the public schools of the city and county to recommend the adoption of some form of patriotic salute to the American flag to be introduced into their morning exercises of the public schools."

The resolutions were discussed at considerable length by Comrades Gosper, Kidge, Gruhn, Snyder, Brooker, Murray, Lussey, Colman, Colby and Smith. On vote they were adopted unanimously.

On motion the Sons of Veterans were invited to attend the future meetings of the association. Comrade J. M. Guinn was elected treasurer, and a collection taken up to defray expenses. The meeting adjourned to the second Tuesday in December.

TO BE READ BY CONTRARIES.

(From Our Regular New York Fashion Correspondent.)

It has been a rich man's panic, and that means that the rich men's wives should feel the panic first. But it has not proven so. Contrary to the popular joke's statements, men realize that their property is judged by their establishments partly, but mostly by the way they dress the women of their



household. The man himself may get himself as he likes, but he must not save money on his wife's gowning, or his creditors will begin to get uneasy, so it is that woman's dressing is to be more carefully considered than ever just now. There is a reckless display of the very latest colors, fabrics and cuts. The effort seems to be to attract the eye, and the very appearance may be a repudiation of any suspicion of making over. We may be sure that the hearts are not light under any gown, but gay rows are, rich the materials, and endless the excuse for garments of laces, rich embroideries and appliques of all sorts. The accompanying illustrations show a cape on which no pains has been spared to make it as elegant as possible. It is made of shot cloth, and trimmed with lined crocheted and black gimpure worked up richly with tinsel. It is no less showy than the huge, plume-topped felt hat worn with it, and like it is designed to make a display.

That it really is an era of extravagance is further shown by the fact that jewels, long tabooed by the best taste, are again appearing. Even though solitaires are seen flashing from dainty ears, almost as if the husband had been told to suggest a couple of thousands where it would be more safe than in the bank. Old stones are being reset in the latest fashions, and the result is a display of the resulting ornament is altogether a new one. The charm of antiquity is being sacrificed to the effort to come to the attention of the grandmothers' gems do not know themselves in their new places on chateaus, and in belt buckles and that pins. It is some very pitiful.

FLORETTE.
WAITING.
We are waiting for the steamer, with maledictions for the schemer who would try to place upon the throne of a country we don't own. Such a saddle-cloved drone.

THE FRUIT-GROWERS

Third Day of the State Convention.

Albert Koebele.

Debate on the Bill for Lobbying Expenses.

Quarantine Matters Discussed in a Paper by Alexander Craw—Resolutions Presented—Excursions Proposed.

The third day's session of the State Fruit-growers' Convention was well attended, and a large number of interesting facts were presented. The meetings, so far, have been what may be called entirely friendly ones, and although opinions which were at variance with each other have been expressed yet an apparent spirit of generous liberality has been manifested. The convention was called to order at 9:50 o'clock by Vice-President Abbot Kinney, when the secretary read the following resolution:

"Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty to take from our midst one who has been identified with the progress not only of the fruit industry, but in all matters relating to the welfare of this Coast; and, whereas, by the death of Hon. W. R. Coleman, California has lost one of its best and most prominent citizens, therefore be it

"Resolved, that we, the fruit-growers of California, in convention assembled, tender our heartfelt sympathy and condolence to the family of the deceased."

"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be printed in the daily papers."

The resolution was adopted unanimously.

Vice-President Griffith rose and said:

"On behalf of many fruit-growers of Southern California, I take pleasure in presenting to the State Board of Horticulture this framed picture of Prof. Albert Koebele. It is but a humble token of our high regard for the untiring work of this board in our interests; besides, it is eminently proper to prove that although absent, the fruit-growers of California are not forgotten by the horticulturists in this part of the State who believe him to be, considering his avocation and past efforts, the greatest genius of modern times."

The gift was acknowledged in a brief speech by Mr. Kelong, who paid a high compliment to the work of the gentleman whose picture was presented.

Mr. Calkins of Pomona rose to a question of privilege and asked he wished to state that in his neighborhood there were some very fine olives grown without irrigation, and even on the hillside.

Two or three others rose to make remarks, but it was soon decided to take up the regular order on the morning's programme, and Secretary Perkins read a paper on "Suggestions on Quarantine," as prepared by Alexander Craw, the quarantine officer of the State Board of Horticulture.

In beginning, the paper referred to the fact that in the earlier days of the history of the State, and at about the same time that the first fruit settlers here brought with them occasional seeds and bulbs, either by the long, overland journey, or by way of the coast, a number of insects and pests were brought here, and the long time which was required in which to bring them to the coast, and the fact that they were attached to them would be likely to be destroyed before arrival here. As time went on the growing of fruits here attracted a large number of insects and pests, and the rapidity and the cheapness of transportation led to the growing of a greater number of orchards, and the insects, which were once contiguous to the coast, became more numerous.

The ravages of these pests led to the establishment of a State board of horticulture, and the organization devoted its energies to both the prevention and cure of these diseases. The "peach yellows" and the plum "cancer" which have done so much damage to peach and plum orchards, in the past, had not made their presence known here.

There were now being imported fruit, trees, shrubs, plants and seeds from the East, and from Europe, Australia, China, Japan, the South Sea Islands, South and Central America and nearly all other countries, and a vessel arrived which did not bring some of these, and most of them were infected with some pest. On them were found eggs and pupae and boring beetles and moths, and various other forms of insect and fungus life, and in most cases, unaccompanied by the person who brought them, they were found in check in the country of their origin. It would be readily appreciated here that eternal vigilance was the price of liberty.

The paper then went on to give a history of the origin and perfecting of the State laws governing the importing of fruit, trees, shrubs, plants and seeds. It was suggested that suitable fumigating-houses be erected at the different railroad depots, or, at least, at the places where goods are received, and consignments of fruit trees and fruit packages. It was further urged that Federal laws be enacted to govern the importation of these pests, the same as those at present preventing the admittance of cases of contagious diseases or of undesirable immigrants.

In conclusion, he said: "I would, therefore, urge that our Congressmen be requested to use their efforts in passing and passing a general quarantine law, which with our State laws and county ordinances, should effectually bar the entrance of new pests, and let a good work out of the problem of getting rid of those we already have."

The reading of the paper was followed by discussion, in which a number of gentlemen participated. Mr. Berry of Tulare county told at length of the work in his county in the way of efforts to destroy the pests, and he mentioned to fruit trees the mixture of sulphur, lime and salt had been effective to a considerable degree, but yet it only served to keep the pests in check instead of destroying them. If parasites could be imported that would destroy the pests, then so. He was the Horticultural Commissioner of his county, and his experience had been that every farmer who had some little pest which the board could not find a way to destroy, would say that the board did not know anything about it. The endeavor of the board was to be just and fair, as between the orchardists and the importers of trees and fruits.

Mr. Heath of Santa Barbara introduced the following resolution:

"Whereas, it is now apparent that the best method of overcoming the various insects, scale and otherwise, so destructive to fruit trees, is by the introduction of parasites; and, whereas, the efforts of the State Board of

Horticulture so far in the introduction from foreign countries of such parasites have been crowned with signal success.

"Now, therefore, it is the sense of the convention that the board should continue its experiments in such line, and that it should receive the support of every industrial interest of the State, so intimately connected with the prosperity of horticulture."

"The convention should earnestly request the Legislature, at its next session, to appropriate a sufficient sum of money, not less than \$100,000, to be expended in the discovery and importation of parasitic insects beneficial to horticulture, into this State, and that the law provide that the importation and culture of such insects, and the expenditure of such sum of money be confined to the care of the State Board of Horticulture."

The reading of this resolution was heartily applauded. Mr. Collins of Ontario said he wanted to be understood as in favor of the introduction of parasites, but he also desired that the real value of such parasites should not be overestimated. There were trees but a short distance south of this city which four or five years ago were infested with one kind of nearly healthy tree, but which had been the ravages of the scale, and he believed some of the parasites had not accomplished what was expected of them. In using the Legislature to grant an appropriation of such facts ought not to be misrepresented.

The resolution as introduced by Mr. Heath was finally referred to the Committee on Resolutions for report at the afternoon session.

Mr. Young presented a claim for the salary of attorneys in their efforts resulting in the enactment of a law relating and providing for county horticultural commissions.

On this question a brief but lively debate ensued, and the matter was referred to the committee on resolutions.

A gentleman argued that the members of the Legislature should be paid for such matters, and that people ought not to be obliged to send men to work in the lobby in order to have their bills enacted.

A list of the counties of the State, showing the amount assessed to each, and also whether the same was paid or not, was presented. It was shown that Los Angeles county was assessed \$70, of which amount \$69 was paid.

The convention adjourned for the noon recess without taking action on the question.

Afternoon Session.

Vice-President Abbot Kinney rapped for order at 1:40 o'clock, and Chairman G. J. Griffith of the Committee on Resolutions presented a report.

He said that a meeting of his committee had been held, and a resolution presented by Judge Heath of Santa Barbara at the morning session, had been referred to the committee, had been unanimously adopted, and was read at which all except one of the five members of the committee were present.

As chairman of the committee, he now moved the adoption of the resolution, which motion was carried without debate.

Prof. E. W. Hilgard of the University of California introduced a paper of applause greeted his appearance. He spoke on "Fruits and Soils of the Arid Region." He said in introduction that the soil of California was a subject of great importance, and it was to a large extent the case that Eastern theories were combined with Western practice. He called attention to the fact that the land was being used in the regions of the oldest civilization were what were known as arid lands.

The speaker exhibited some large tables showing analyses of soils from the humid regions of the United States, and in some different localities in California. He presented a table of analyses of soil from different localities, and a different result obtained from each. On the tables, however, which he presented the analyses of soils from California, all made by the same process. From figures, and also from history, he showed that apparently, and in fact, the soil of California was a very different kind of soil, and that it was in virgin state, that could be irrigated would support a denser population for a much longer time than would the soil of the humid regions. This seemed to be due to the fact that in the humid regions the leaching of the soil by which it would foster loss of fertility was not so rapid as in the arid region where the only leaching that could go on would of course be for the most part as a result of irrigation.

In the alkali soils, if the evil effects of the overabundance of salts could only be subdued, then there would be almost a chance of land for agricultural purposes. He urged that the State apply to his department for information should give full data. There were three varieties of the disease known as black knot. One of them was caused by abrasion of the bark of the tree. The remedy for this was to cut off the knot smoothly and coat the place over with a mixture of lime and sulphur.

There were also caused by insect pests, and their remedies were more difficult to discover. Mr. Chapman gave an interesting description of how he had made a practical application of agricultural chemistry in his orchard at San Gabriel. He remarked incidentally that he had been able to grow a large company \$250 per acre for freight on his orange crop. He had been troubled with black scale, and had sprinkled sulphur on the trees, and had been early in the morning when the leaves were wet with dew. He had for this purpose used a seed-sower, and had in driving kept the seed-sower close to the trees and on the ground. The experiment had, to a considerable extent, succeeded, and he was watching in expectation of still greater results.

S. M. Woodbridge spoke of the combination of chemical elements forming soil. He said in reference to irrigation that when water was used in a leaching process would go on instead of a filtering process, as there should be when the proper amount of water was used.

Discussion coming up over gum diseases, H. Brainard of San Jose said that from careful investigation it was believed that gum diseases were caused by lack of balance as to the amount of sap forced upward from the roots. A cold storm might chill the tree so that its circulation of sap would be impeded. The sap coming up from the roots the same as before would be forced out through the bark and a collection of gum would be formed. This would be due to the fact that the result in the injury of the tree.

tween the board and the fruit-growers of this State or any section thereof, but, on the contrary, declare its entire confidence in the integrity of the members of the board, in their knowledge of horticulture, and in the impartiality with which they have discharged onerous duties. That this convention sincerely commends the board, and especially the president and secretary, for the untiring zeal displayed by them in fostering every interest of horticulture confided to their care, and that for the successful introduction of various parasitic insects into the State they deserve the lasting gratitude of the people of the State.

The resolution was adopted. The following was then presented as approved by the Committee on Resolutions:

Resolved, that this convention of California horticulturists considers that the interests of the whole Pacific Coast, and of the entire American nation demand the immediate construction by the United States of a canal through the Nicaragua Canal, such action being taken in conjunction with other powers interested as shall insure the permanent neutralization of said canal and such adjacent territory as shall be necessary.

The resolution was objected to in this form, and was finally adopted, after having been stricken from it all the words following after the words "of the Nicaragua Canal".

The following resolution, as introduced by Mr. Berwick, was then presented:

Resolved, that this California State Convention of Horticulturists assembled at Los Angeles, this 23rd day of November, 1893, believes that the best interests of California horticulturists and the American nation demand the nationalization of American railroads.

Mr. Meslin rose and said he believed that convention should consider directly to the fruit-growers. This was something which was not well understood among most of those present, and his consideration might prove an element of discord. He therefore moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Powers of the motion said it seemed to him like a reflection on the dignity of this body of men to say they did not understand this matter. It was a question of horticulture to the fruit-growers, and there was no reason why it should not be considered by them.

Two or three others spoke on the question of laying the motion on the table. Another said it was a notorious fact that the railroad companies ran north and south through the State controlled the State. It was also intimated that the railroads controlled the national legislature.

Mr. Meslin at this point rose to a point of order, and stated that a motion to table was not debatable.

Someone rose at this time and said there were no rules governing this assembly, and consequently the parliamentary technicality would not apply to this case.

Mr. Meslin withdrew his motion to lay on the table, and said he did not have any wrong motive in making the motion, nor in making the remarks he did make.

Someone else moved to postpone action on the resolution till the next convention and make it a special order for that time.

The vote on this motion could not be decided by yeas and nays, and so a division was called for. The motion was carried by a vote of 36 to 35. A second vote in which to arrive at this result.

A paper on "Forestry," as prepared by Vice-President Abbot Kinney, was read by Secretary Perkins. The writer stated:

The importance of a conservative forest policy is nowhere greater than in California. It is now fully established by the forest experience of France, Germany, and other countries, that judicious management will give a high and perpetual product of bark, fuel, tar, timber, etc., from the forest without injury to the forest reserved.

Continuing, he said the value of the forest from a sportsman's point of view was as nothing compared with its influence on the delivery of the rainfall from a country's watersheds. Such a watershed would deliver a given rainfall regularly and evenly over a long period as compared to the delivery of the same rainfall from the watershed deforested. The trees and roots detain and divide the water so that the water has time to be absorbed into the soil and rock veins. It was safe to say that in California that "As that the perennial character of the springs and streams diminish or be lost while on the other hand floods and torrents will increase and the torrents will increase in force and destructiveness. The water flowing regularly from the forest mountain is the aid and servant of man in his mill, house or field. The water tearing madly over the denuded rocks of a bare and arid declivity is his scourge and his destroyer."

Through the efforts made here in connection with similar efforts made in other places, there had been secured a government policy for forest reserves. The government had reserved large tracts of land for forestry purposes. California and Colorado had been most favored in this way. In California, south of Merced, the most important mountain watersheds were now government forest reserves. The Yellowstone and Yosemite were guarded by small detachments of cavalry. The result of these patrols in preventing forest fires had been marked. These fires had been caused by irresponsible sheep-herders. The exclusion of these herders from the Yosemite addition ended the danger from fire.

Nowhere was a conservative system of forest management more important than in a country alternating with fertile plains. When to this condition was added that of alternating dry and rainy seasons, under which irrigation became an important agency and agriculture there, of paramount reasons for a forestry system.

house being rented for another purpose, the convention will finally adjourn at noon today.

THE BUG CONTROVERSY.

Strong Resolutions Passed Indorsing the State Board of Horticulture.

In sending to Gov. Markham copies of correspondence which had passed between Ellwood Cooper, of the State Board of Horticulture, and Prof. Riley, of the Division of Entomology—which correspondence has since been published—Mr. Riley refers to Mr. Cooper as "a rather weak-minded, old gentleman, who has been kept in the presidency of the board for many years now by Mr. Lelong, who has found him a willing tool to further his own wishes."

Regarding Mr. Lelong, he says: "For Mr. Lelong's science, but he respects whatever. He is an impostor, in as far as that is concerned, and I have learned enough of his doings to feel that a reorganization of the board would probably be a benefit to the fruit interests of your State." These remarks are certainly not in the nature of oil upon the troubled waters of the present controversy.

As an offset to this extreme opinion of Mr. Riley, we have the action of the State Fruit-growers' Convention, which on Thursday unanimously adopted strong resolutions, indorsing the action of the State board in the matter of the so-called parasites and acknowledging the services which they have rendered to the horticultural industry of the State, which resolutions will be found in the regular report of the proceedings.

Referring to some comments upon C. M. Heintz, which appeared in the Horticultural Commissioner's Collins of San Bernardino county was published in the Times of Thursday, in which he asserts that whatever Heintz may have done has been done "upon his own hook," as it were. John Scott, Horticultural Commissioner of Los Angeles county, has made a verbal declaration to the same effect, and states that, if necessary, he will assert it publicly. This ought to settle the status of the objectionable person referred to.

The following communications have been received on this subject:

ONTARIO (Cal.) Nov. 19, 1893.—(To the Editor of The Times.) I saw by yesterday's Times, and am also informed that in a previous number, my name is mentioned in connection with resolutions passed by the Entomological Society at the meeting held at Ontario, November 2 and 3, 1893. I am given the credit of having presented them without knowing their full import; this is not true. I was fully aware of the contents, and as they met my individual views (though I may be wrong) I presented them, and they were passed without any opposition or comment, and I assure you that there were more than two or three members who were not in favor of them. I agree with you that the very wordy war now carried on in the papers is to be deplored, and is certainly doing the horticulturist no harm, but, on the other hand, much harm.

It is devoutly to be hoped that at the coming meeting at Los Angeles the horticulturists will be thoroughly ventilated, and adjusted, so that the two boards henceforth may be enabled to act in harmony for our common interest.

GRAINGER HYER, M.D.

"A Human Parasite Affecting the Fruit Industry."

POMONA, Nov. 20, 1893.—(To the Editor of The Times.) It would appear from a perusal of the agricultural department of last Saturday's Times that the orchardists of Southern California have pests to contend against other than those of the insect world.

It is to be hoped that other reputable journals of Southern California will take up the good fight and unite with The Times in its endeavor to suppress these rural pests.

FRUIT-GROWER.

MONTALVO SCANDAL.

An Indignation Meeting Held by the Citizens of That Town.

VENTURA (Cal.) Nov. 23.—(Special.) From the following communication received from a prominent resident of Montalvo, who was one of the committee appointed to draft the resolution thereon given, it would seem that the scandal which has lately been agitating the residents of that lively, little city was only in its infancy. The following is the substance of the letter:

"MONTALVO (Cal.) Nov. 21, 1893. 'There was an indignation meeting of the citizens of Montalvo on the 18th inst., regarding the Packard-Joy-King scandal, and other irregularities. 'After a free expression of views regarding the testimony there produced, there was a committee of three appointed to draft resolutions for the purpose of purifying and uplifting the morals of the community. The committee was E. F. Bond, Vance Ayers and Aratus Everett. 'The substance of the following resolutions was unanimously adopted by the citizens of Montalvo assembled. 'Resolved, that your committee wish it distinctly understood that y Gormie no personal feeling in this matter other than to purify and uplift the morals of this community. 'Resolved, that from evidence at hand, we believe the so-called Rev. J. E. Joy to be a consummate scoundrel and villain, and that he be given one week to leave the county, never to return, as the other actor, J. F. King, has done. 'A full report is not yet made regarding King, for the reason that further action is pending as an investigation is recommended. 'Motion passed that a copy of these resolutions be sent to each of the county papers for publication; also one to Albert E. Joy. 'Meeting adjourned until Monday evening, November 21. 'Meeting called to order Monday evening, 21st inst., by Chairman George Cook. Committee to consult legal talent reported that for the present they were advised to deal only with A. E. Joy. 'An affidavit of Miss Maud Packard was read, stating that she was seduced by August, 1892, by Albert E. Joy. That previous to that time she had led a virtuous life. 'After further consideration it was ordered that the notice to Joy and for publication be amended to read 'one

month, and in fact, it produced the best wood in the country. 'The subject of pecans coming up, Mr. Lelong stated that of all the various kinds of this nut, which were being grown more or less, there was likely to be some variety discovered which would be very valuable as a commercial nut. 'Russell Heath of Santa Barbara spoke interestingly of his experiences in growing this nut. The wood was brittle. The tree did not drop its nuts, and this fact should be considered by those contemplating the growing of this nut. One variety, which he considered a good one, required to be near a river or pond, so that its roots could have plenty of moisture. A variety known as the 'Louisiana Improved pecan,' had of late been brought to this State, and was well spoken of. 'Another gentleman, who said he had recently come from Texas, stated he had been told that much better results could be secured by raising pecan trees from the nuts instead of from the transplanted trees. 'After some further comparison of results, the convention adjourned till this morning.

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FULLY ORGANIZED.

The Merchants Prepared for Business.

The Auxiliary Fruit and Flower Show in

Los Angeles is Almost an Assured Fact.

Enthusiastic Meeting of the Association Last Evening—A Protest Was Made Against the License Tax.

The newly-organized and rapidly-growing Merchants' Association held an important meeting last evening in the Board of Trade rooms, with a large number of representative business men of the city in attendance.

Maj. W. C. Furrey presided and W. B. Allen acted as secretary.

The chairman made a few introductory remarks, in which he referred briefly to the success attained by the organization in its work thus far and the field which lay before it.

One of the principal subjects which has formed a part of the deliberations of the body thus far has been the project of holding an auxiliary exhibition of fruit and flowers in this city during the time of opening of the Midwinter Fair at San Francisco. The Merchants' Association conferred some time ago with the Southern California Fair Committee in relation to holding such auxiliary displays, but they did not meet with much encouragement from that body, and since then have resorted to the proposition as a protest, bent on making it an assured fact by their united efforts.

It was the first topic introduced last evening, and after the preliminaries were over Mr. Allen, the secretary, stated that the following resolutions had been prepared by the Executive Committee of the Merchants' Association for their approval and adoption:

"Gentlemen: After due and deep consideration, the Executive Committee beg leave to lay before you the following proposition, for we feel it our duty as merchants doing business in Los Angeles to stand by our city first, last and all the time, and help improve it in every way possible. Before making the proposition, however, we wish it distinctly understood from the start that in no way, shape or manner are we opposed, as an association, to the Midwinter Fair which is to be held in San Francisco. On the contrary, we earnestly wish it to be an overwhelming success and a lasting credit to the State of California. While on the other hand, we deem it our duty, as the Merchants' Association of Los Angeles, to have this city's name spread throughout the United States, and when the great influx of visitors is in our midst, to show them what the beautiful City of the Angels is capable of doing; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that we shall have an immense floral and citrus fair combined, to be held in this city at a date to be hereinafter named, which the merchants will guarantee to make a financial success, and that the proceeds, after all expenses are paid, be equally divided between the orphan asylums of this city; that it is the sense of the Merchants' Association that this fair shall far outshine anything ever attempted before."

Maj. Furrey said that the resolutions were the result of the work of the Executive Committee. The members of that committee were united in favor of the proposed local fair. They believed that by dividing the proceeds in the manner indicated the project would be greatly assisted from many sources. It was suggested that the merchants of the town should subscribe a guarantee fund, as had been customary on such occasions. The Executive Committee had given the matter a great deal of thought and their plan was the outcome of mature consideration.

Mr. Jenne was in favor of the fair, as he thought it certainly would be a great success in every way.

Mr. Haas was in favor of all the resolutions and suggestions except that providing for a fee of \$5 being paid by all merchants. He believed that the amount should not be fixed in that way, as many of the merchants could and would contribute a much larger amount. J. T. Sheward explained that the \$5 was merely for the purpose of establishing the initial fund; that is, just to have contributed enough to awaken interest and co-operation.

After some little further discussion the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Some of the members present were inclined to criticize severely the action of the Chamber of Commerce on the subject, and characterize it as partial to the San Francisco fair. One gentleman went so far as to say that after learning what he had that he would lose no time in putting in his resignation as a member of the chamber. Others present saw no need of causing a clash between the merchants and the Chamber of Commerce, it being urged that the disagreeable reception accorded the committee of the association, was all at the hands of one particular director of the chamber. It was not advisable to stir up unnecessary dissension, as it was known that the chamber as a whole were heartily anxious to support a Southern California fair.

A call for the report of the committee appointed to consider the matter of the license tax brought forth the following, which it was agreed to present to the Council on Monday next:

"To the Honorable Council of the City of Los Angeles—Gentlemen: We, the undersigned, members of the Merchants' Association of Los Angeles, respectfully ask that you revoke the license now imposed on merchandise, so far as carried on in stores. We have for years borne this unjust burden, and fail to find any valid excuse for its further continuance, the city having long ago outgrown this backwoods system.

"Over 90 per cent. of the merchants of Los Angeles are really owners, and as such are keenly interested in the welfare of our city. We hold that to hamper merchandising or manufacturing by license is decidedly injurious to the welfare of our city.

"We are always willing to bear our share of taxation, but we do most emphatically protest against being subjected to this double and unjust tax, as to other construction can be put upon merchandise license.

"We trust that you will see the justice of this petition, abolish the license at once and save us the annoyance and cost of litigation as it has been decided by the Merchants' Association (an asso-

ciation that numbers nearly all of the wholesale and retail merchants of the city) to make a decided stand against the system."

From the emphatic remarks made by many of the merchants in attendance at the meeting it was evident that a firm and decided resistance will be made to the payment of the license tax, even though, as was indicated by the tenor of the resolutions, it would be necessary to resort to the courts, if the Council showed an inclination to delay action on the matter. This question was one of the first proposed for consideration upon the organization of the association, and is generally thought to be by the merchants one of the unnecessary impediments to the carrying on of legitimate commercial enterprises.

It was tacitly argued, that "in the event of the Council's refusing to pass upon the petition on Monday the merchants in a body should decline to pay the license on the first of the month, allowing the city to bring suit, when the validity of the tax could be determined in court.

The subject of incorporation of the association was also brought up and discussed, after which an adjournment was ordered until Tuesday evening.

MIDWINTER FAIR.

Organization of a County Committee—A Large Representation.

The meeting of the Midwinter Fair Executive Committee of Southern California, which was to have been held at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the Chamber of Commerce, will be held in San Francisco, owing to the fact that several of the committee were on Tuesday evening summoned to that city, and that others followed yesterday.

COUNTY COMMITTEE.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a meeting for the purpose of organizing a county committee was held at Chamber of Commerce Hall. T. D. Stimson was called to the chair, and C. D. Willard was elected secretary.

The object of the meeting was stated by Judge Silent. Its purpose was to bring together citizens of this city and county and to interest them in the Midwinter Fair project. He outlined the work done by the committees appointed by the supervisors and by the Chamber of Commerce; but these committees now desire the co-operation of all citizens. The question was also brought up as to the original idea of recompense to Southern California, in seeking representation by the Midwinter Fair. It was decidedly through bringing people here. He recalled the sending of a committee to San Francisco to see what arrangements for reduced rates could be obtained from the railroads, and upon return the committee reported that all necessary concessions would be afforded. Last Monday evening, however, word reached here that the Southern Pacific Railroad had placed a ten days' limit on all tickets from the Northwest and this side of the Rocky Mountains, and that stop-over privileges would not be allowed. This effectively debarred Los Angeles and other points in Southern California from the advantages which they consider as rightfully belonging to them if they expend money and time in representation at the fair.

On this account it was thought best to consider well whether it is wise to go ahead and make the outlay of from \$50,000 to \$75,000, if no special benefit is to be derived from it. Members of the Executive Committee now in San Francisco will consult with the officials of the Southern Pacific road and see if this time limit cannot be lengthened and some kind of excursion rates secured.

County representatives being present from Monrovia, Whittier, Rivera, Pomona, San Fernando, Covina, Sierra Madre and other districts, expressions were heard from them.

Monrovia desired to be represented on the county committee.

Whittier has already taken action looking to representation at the fair, and a board has been organized. The wish is to unite with Southern California.

San Fernando is ready to join in making the exhibit.

Pomona people, it was stated, feel friendly toward this enterprise, and will be glad to advance it.

Sierra Madre is in line with the rest, both in exhibits and pecuniarily. Rivera will undoubtedly furnish an exhibit. Some twenty or twenty-five persons there are preparing to make a display.

Covina will do all that lies in its power to furnish a good exhibit.

On motion of Mr. Alles, the chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of five on permanent organization, that committee to report not later than Tuesday, and its members to select an executive committee of twenty-five.

Messrs. Silent, Freeman, Alles, Lankershim and Pomeroy were appointed such committee.

Mr. Alles asked that the exact work of this committee be explained. Judge Silent was, therefore, called forward to define its duties.

He replied that he hardly knew how to do this. A few have carried on the work up to the present time, and they now feel that they should have broad advice and co-operation. They feel that they want the help of all representative citizens, that the whole of Los Angeles county should be in touch in this work, in order that the best possible exhibit may be made. If satisfactory arrangements with the railroads can be secured the contract for the building will be let today. He alluded also to the fact that five carloads of exhibits are on their way from Chicago for this county, and there is no doubt but a magnificent showing can be made.

It was favored by several speakers that unless conciliatory terms were made by the railroad companies, Southern California should expend her money upon a building upon some local site, and open and maintain a grand Midwinter Fair here, which should draw tourists.

The motion was finally made, and unanimously carried, that the secretary

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be instructed to wire the committee, now in San Francisco, that this body, in regular session, decide not to go on unless such concessions are made by the San Francisco railroad people as prove satisfactory to the committee.

Brief discussion ensued as to the shipping of freight for exhibit purposes. Secretary Willard stated that probably the same regulations would prevail as in shipping to the World's Fair. There will, of course, have to be some central point where exhibits can be examined and approved.

It was suggested that each precinct in the county at once use every effort to have thorough local organization effected.

Adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday. The Committee on Permanent Organization will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon, at the Chamber of Commerce.

SANTA MONICA.

J. W. Heart Held to the Superior Court—Local News and Notes.

John W. Heart of The Palms had his hearing before Justice of the Peace L. A. Willis Thursday, and was held to answer in the sum of \$2000 in the Superior Court to the charge of an assault, with a deadly weapon upon George I. Bullock on the evening of November 14.

When the time for hearing this case arrived the regular courtroom was inadequate to accommodate the attendance of witnesses and spectators, and the sitting of the court was transferred to the City Hall. Dist. Atty. Dillon appeared in person in behalf of the people and R. E. Tanner, Esq., for the defense. Twenty-one witnesses had been summoned, and a large delegation of Palmisians, together with the wives of both parties, were present. Mr. Bullock, although able to sit up for the first time, was not in condition to be present.

On behalf of the prosecution the story of the stabbing affray was told. It did not differ essentially from that already published, which was substantially the story told by the defendant when he first gave himself up. There was, however, this difference in the two reports. Heart claimed that when he followed Bullock out of the store, some five minutes after Bullock quitted the place, Bullock was waiting outside and assaulted him before he began the cutting. Testimony introduced at the hearing was to the effect that Bullock had failed to get medicine at the store, and had gone to a neighbor's nearby for it, that returning he passed the store just as Heart came out, and said to him: "Well, John, you have had us both arrested. What will you do next?" and that Heart replied with an oath that he would show him, and immediately made the assault.

The garments worn by Bullock were introduced to show the deadly character of the weapon.

At the close of the testimony for the prosecution defendant's attorney moved that the prisoner be discharged, but the motion was overruled and the defendant, not desiring to introduce any evidence, was held as already stated.

The assault cases against Bullock and his wife were postponed until this (Friday) morning at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. W. Newton is here from Santa Barbara on a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Polson.

Thomas Valenzuela, arrested for petty larceny, will have his hearing before Justice Twichell on Saturday.

The Santa Rosa touched at the wharf Thursday morning, leaving twenty passengers and ninety tons of freight.

Word was received by friends here on Wednesday that while H. M. Gorham and family were en route from Gold Hill, Nev., to spend the winter here, as usual, the six-year-old son got hold of a bottle of medicine from his mother's hand bag, and from the effects of drinking of woodruff.

Mrs. E. J. Gorham, the child's grandmother, who is sister of Mrs. John P. Jones, left at once for San Francisco on receipt of the sad intelligence.

The financial affairs of Hotel Arcadia, called before Judge Clark this week, have been again deferred, so that the interests desiring twenty days additional time in which to investigate matters. The time has been granted.

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In 1891 the Beet Sugar Company was organized and the Refinery built and put in operation at Chino, in a central position in reference to the property. The result obtained from the operation of the Factory for the few years past shows a remarkable degree of adaptability of the soil to the successful cultivation of the Sugar Beet, both in amount of production and in percentage of saccharine matter, and also in the efficient capacity of the manufacturing plant. The factory handled during the present season of 1894, 1000 tons of beets per day, and have from 600 to 800 tons per day coming in continuously for the entire campaign, covering a period of nearly four months. It is proposed now to increase the capacity of the Factory by the erection of an additional building and machinery to suit the requirements of increasing production. The returns for the present campaign have been a total yield of over 15,000,000 pounds of sugar, which have been shipped out as crude sugar to be refined elsewhere.

Under a direct and specific contract between Mr. Gird and the Chino Valley Beet Sugar Company, a corporation which instituted and operates the Beet Sugar industry, they agreed to purchase from Mr. Gird or his successors all the beets to be raised on the ranch for years to come, and at the present date, about November 1st, 1895, before the commencement of the next season, a fixed price is established for the beets to be raised on the ranch at maturity next season. This insures the planter in the market for his crop, and with the price that is fixed, before he takes any risk in the matter or makes the first move towards turning over the ground.

Possibly there is no other branch of industry where calculations for future results can be made so readily or so correctly calculated upon, and returns realized in so short a time as in the cultivation of the Sugar Beet under such auspices.

While speaking particularly in regard to the important industry of beet growing for the manufacture of sugar, estimates of general fruits should not be lost sight of, as a great portion of the land is especially adapted to

Citrus Fruits and Deciduous Trees.

Orange groves planted on portions of the ranch are coming forward, and olives, figs, apricots, prunes, pomegranates and berries, in fact California fruits of all kinds, seem indigenous to the soil. It is also demonstrated that corn, barley, wheat, and in fact all the cereals and vegetables flourish in this soil and attain a high degree of perfection.

The townsite of Chino, located at a convenient point with reference to all portions of the ranch, is a flourishing California town, with telegraph, telephone and express offices, schools and churches. Means of communication and transportation are ample. The Southern Pacific Railroad runs its main line direct into Chino, and is four miles distant from Pomona and Ontario, on the main overland line, and in addition is the proposed extension which is now assured from Pomona, through Chino to South Riverside and Elsinore.

The following are a few of the advantageous features of the Chino Valley. First, the cultivation of the Sugar Beet, which insures a profit, fifteen tons is an average crop, but twenty tons is not unusual, which is received at the factory at a fixed price of \$4.50 per ton, which during this present season of 1894 has averaged the grower from \$35 to \$60 per acre net, and clean above all expense of working the ground, planting and harvesting the crop and covering at the factory.

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The Mental Condition of Charles Langford

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Further Testimony in the Will Contest.

Hearing of the Crystal Springs Case Continued Before Judge Van Dyke—Suit Over Rent—Court Notes.

The trial of the contest over the will of the late Charles E. Langford of Pasadena, was resumed before Judge Clark and a jury, in Department Two, yesterday, ten witnesses being examined for the contestants, who closed their side of the case at 4 o'clock p.m. The witnesses called during the day's session were Dr. W. B. Rowland, Mrs. Francesca A. Austin, William McCarty, C. E. Langford, Mrs. M. M. Langford, Charles E. Brown, James M. Doty, Mrs. M. J. Herrick, Mrs. F. E. Longshore and Thomas McKimley. Their testimony upon the whole was merely cumulative evidence, tending to show that decedent was in his dotage, and completely under the influence of his second wife, during the last years of his life. An effort was made, however, when the witness McCarty was upon the stand to introduce some sensational evidence, reflecting upon the conduct of Mrs. Langford, during the year 1888, but the court refused to admit it. Four of the contestants were recalled, for the purpose of acquainting the jury with their impoverished circumstances and need of the money they are seeking to obtain, and the first half of the case was then closed. The matter will be taken up again this morning.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS SUIT.
The trial of the suit instituted by the city of Los Angeles against the Crystal Springs Land and Water Company, to enjoin it from appropriating water from the river on the Los Feliz Ranch, was resumed before Judge Van Dyke and a jury, in Department Four, yesterday, and occupied their attention all day.

Three witnesses were examined for the plaintiff, viz., H. D. Barrows, City Engineer Dockweiler and J. W. Potts, their testimony, for the most part, consisting of the identification of city archives and other documentary evidence. The matter will be taken up again this morning.

A QUESTION OF RENT.
Judge Shaw yesterday rendered his decision in the case of C. Dubordieu vs. H. Marteen, an action for rent, ordering judgment for the plaintiff therein for the reasons set forth in an opinion, from which the following facts were gathered:
The suit was brought by plaintiff, as assignee of the lessor, to recover rent alleged to be due on certain premises for the month of July last. The defendant, for answer, claims that the lease was modified and changed by a verbal agreement between him and plaintiff, whereby the rent was reduced from \$35 to \$12.50 per month. This lease was in writing, and was executed on December 7, 1887, between defendant

and Bernard Dubordieu, for the period of ten years from January 1, 1888, at a monthly rental of \$35. No time being fixed for the payment of the rent, by implication of law, it was payable at the end of each month. It had been the custom of the parties, however, until the parol agreement, to pay it on the tenth day of each month. The agreement, according to the testimony of defendant's witnesses, was that in consideration that defendant paid the rent on the first day of each month, after March, 1893, it should be reduced to \$12.50. There was a sharp conflict in the testimony as to whether or not this agreement was made as alleged, but the court concluded that there was a preponderance of evidence in favor of the defendant.

Plaintiff contended that, even if such an agreement was made, it was an attempt to alter a written by an unexecuted agreement, which was contrary to the provisions of section 1698 of the Civil Code. On the other hand, defendant claimed that the payment of the reduced rent, in accordance with the oral agreement, and the acceptance of it by plaintiff for the months of April, May and June, made it an executed oral agreement. This is the question upon which the case depends.

The court, after reviewing the lease, holds that the principle laid down in section 1698, is the same as that upon which rests the doctrine of accord and satisfaction, in which case it is said that "the agreement to be operative must be immediate; an agreement to settle at a future time cannot be an accord and satisfaction." (2 Whart. Cont. sec. 996.) The case of Ehrenberg vs. Peters (66 Cal. 114) is also cited, in which the provisions of section 1698 are held to apply to the contract of the tenant to pay rent, and that such a contract cannot be altered until the rent is paid under the parol modification of it.

FAILED TO MAKE A CASE.
When the case of Thomas Gorman, et ux., vs. H. C. Wiltmer, an action for damages for personal injuries, was called in Department Six yesterday morning, counsel for the defendant moved the court for a judgment of nonsuit, upon the ground that the plaintiffs had failed to prove a sufficient case for the jury, which motion was granted by Judge McKimley. The plaintiffs taking exception to this ruling, a stay of proceedings was ordered until they pay the jurors' fees, amounting to \$48.

A SEAMAN'S CASE.
William Gerald, a seaman, was arraigned yesterday in the District Court on an indictment found against him by the Federal grand jury.
The charge against Gerald was that on September 27, at San Diego, he did unlawfully unload and deliver from the British ship Soudan, two casks of merchandise between the hours of sundown and sunset, without the permission of the Collector of the Port or any other person in authority. It seems that at the time complaint was made it was supposed that the casks contained goods subject to duty, but afterward it was learned that they contained merely slops from the ship. Notwithstanding this fact, Gerald will have to answer for the alleged offense. Time for trial was set by the court for November 28.

IN THE FEDERAL COURT.
Henry G. and Henry J. Stanley, charged with opening a letter addressed to another person, were brought up before Judge Ross yesterday, where they entered a plea of not guilty. Their trial will take place on December 6.
Will Haight and M. Barnard Anderson were admitted to practice in the United States district courts yesterday, upon motion of George Denis and Ben Goodrich, Esqs., respectively.
The case of Louis Schorn vs. Roseena Stally, an action to recover \$3205, and compel an accounting, came on for trial in the Circuit Court yesterday

afternoon, when the taking of testimony was begun.

Court Notes.
In the Probate Court yesterday morning, Judge Clark granted the petition of Mrs. Sarah A. Fairchild for the admission to probate of the will of B. Homer Fairchild, deceased, and appointed the petitioner, his widow, as executrix thereunder, without bond.
Pursuant to stipulation filed therein, Judge Van Dyke yesterday morning ordered the care of A. G. Williams, et al. vs. J. Fulton, et al., transferred from Department Three to his own court, and the matter was submitted to him for decision upon the briefs already filed therein.

Mrs. Gracelene Mirandette has instituted proceedings in the Superior Court to secure a divorce from Joseph Mirandette, upon sundry statutory grounds. Charles Schutler, a German, was duly admitted to citizenship of the United States by Judge Shaw yesterday afternoon, upon producing the necessary proofs of allegiance here, and taking the requisite oaths of renunciation and allegiance.

A writ of habeas corpus, returnable at 10 o'clock this morning, was issued by Judge Shaw yesterday afternoon, directing Justice Weldt and Constable Withers of San Pedro to produce John Huber, who alleges that he is illegally restrained of his liberty by them, and show cause why he should not be released from their custody.

New Suits.
Among the documents filed with the County Clerk, yesterday, were the preliminary papers in the following new cases:

C. K. Ingersoll vs. Samuel L. Blake et ux.; suit to foreclose a mortgage for \$300 on two lots at Monrovia.
Main Street Savings Bank and Trust Company vs. Jonas F. Wanvig et al.; suit to foreclose a mortgage on lot 1, block B, Moreno Vineyard tract, for \$1783.04.
Alexander J. McLellan vs. H. H. Dobbins et al.; four suits to quiet title to lots in the Waverly tract.

Today's Calendar.
Department One—Judge Smith: Clear. Department Two—Judge Clark: Estate of George R. Shatto, deceased; leave to convey.
Estate of J. G. Steinhauser, deceased; will.
Estate of Charles Wagner, deceased; will.
Estate of A. A. Pratt, deceased; contest.
Estate of Willett R. Doty, deceased; will.
Estate of Julia A. Dowling, deceased; final account and distribution.
Estate of Louis C. Sexton, deceased; final account and distribution.
Estate of Mary E. Gunn, deceased; letters.
Estate of John Cemar, deceased; citation.
Estate of Ozro W. Childs, deceased; final account and distribution.
Estate of F. S. del Valle, deceased; letters.
Estate of Adelaide Gifford, deceased; will.
Estate of Julia A. Dowling, deceased; final account and distribution.
A. A. Kendrick vs. John C. Cline; appeal.
Estate of Charles E. Langford, deceased; contest; on set.
Department Four—Judge Van Dyke: County of Los Angeles vs. Jabez Banbury; for money.
County of Los Angeles vs. Crystal Springs Land and Water Company; on trial.
Department Five—Judge Shaw: J. M.

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Sherman vs. Henry Lee et al.; injunction.
Ex-parte John Huber; habeas corpus; hearing.
Department Six—Judge McKimley: Gregory Perkins vs. George L. Hansen; account.

DEATH RECORD.
DONOVAN — In this city, November 22, 1893, James J. Donovan, beloved husband of Mary Ellen Donovan, and brother-in-law of J. C. McMenomy, a native of Dubuque, Iowa.
Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend the funeral, from his late residence, at No. 228 1/2 East Fifth street, at 9 o'clock on Friday morning. (San Francisco papers please copy.)
WHITNEY — In this city, November 22, 1893, Laura F., beloved wife of A. E. Whitney.
Funeral from the family residence, No. 511 North Griffin avenue, at 2 p.m. Friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

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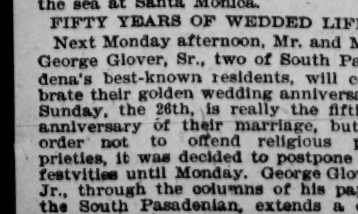
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ages, arrived in Santa Ana a few days ago, with his wife, and put up a lodging house on Main street, between Fourth and Fifth. They were only a short time, however, until the true characters were known and they were at once taken to free the city of their degrading presence. Maria Nichols learned of their presence after satisfying himself that the reports about them were true, he notified them to make themselves conspicuous in town by their absence. The

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Inspector of construction of street water ditch work, was placed on a petition from George W. Meade, alleging that an arc electric light be placed on Cajon street, between the Redlands school and Summit avenue, was A. Barmann, Acting City Engineer, in the absence of City Engineer, submitted a communication respecting work about which there was some dispute.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather.
U. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles, Nov. 23, 1893.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.12; at 5 p.m., 30.05. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 47 deg. and 58 deg. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 34 deg. Character of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Daily Bulletin.
United States Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau. Reports received at Los Angeles, Cal., on November 23, 1893. Observations taken at all stations at 8 a.m., seventy-fifth meridian time.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Remarks.
Los Angeles, clear	30.02	58	0	
San Diego, clear	30.04	58	0	
Fresno, partly cloudy	29.12	58	0	
Keeler, cloudy	30.08	50	0	
San Francisco, rain	30.14	50	0	
Sacramento, rain	30.14	50	0	
Red Bluff, partly cloudy	30.08	54	7	
Eureka, cloudy	30.08	54	7	
Roseburg, cloudy	29.72	56	13	
Portland, rain	29.72	56	13	

The stereopticon illustrated lecture on "Naples, Florence and Pompeii," given by Rev. J. C. Fletcher, for the benefit of Occidental College, our readers will remember, takes place at Immanuel Church, corner of Temple and Pearl streets, on Tuesday evening, the 28th inst. A novel feature will be the Occidental Orchestra of the students, fourteen in number. Admission, 25 cents for adults; children's tickets, 15 cents.

The Pacific Cycle Company of No. 624 South Broadway, have just put in a new 10-horse power gas engine, and are prepared to attend promptly to all kinds of repairing, such as painting, enameling, polishing, burning, brazing, etc., and are prepared to manufacture as strong, neat, speedy and light a bicycle as there is in the market. Wheels also made to order on short notice.

The Los Angeles Savings Bank herewith gives notice that it is prepared to pay on demand all depositors who have given notice to withdraw their funds, and which notices expire during the months of November and December, 1893. Los Angeles Savings Bank, by W. M. Caswell, cashier.

The Main Street Savings Bank and Trust Company herewith gives notice that it is prepared to pay on demand all depositors who have given notice to withdraw their funds, and which notices expire during the months of November and December, 1893. J. F. Sartori, cashier.

The Security Savings Bank and Trust Company herewith gives notice that it is prepared to pay on demand all depositors who have given notice to withdraw their funds, and which notices expire during the months of November and December, 1893. J. F. Sartori, cashier.

The Savings Bank of Southern California herewith gives notice that it is prepared to pay on demand all depositors who have given notice to withdraw their funds, and which notices expire during the months of November and December, 1893. J. F. Sartori, cashier.

The German American Savings Bank herewith gives notice that it is prepared to pay on demand all depositors who have given notice to withdraw their funds, and which notices expire during the months of November and December, 1893. J. F. Sartori, cashier.

Everyone who sees our shoes is astonished at the prices we are selling at. Former prices were \$3 to \$5, and now they are going from \$1 to \$2.50. Former price \$1 to \$1.50. Snyder's shoe store, No. 222 South Spring street.

Depositors of savings banks can now invest some of their money in having a suit made to order at Joe Pohlman's, the tailor, and save \$5 to \$10 on each suit. J. F. Pohlman, manager, No. 143 South Spring street.

Ladies, Mrs. F. W. Thurston's Millinery Parlors, No. 116 Commercial street, have doors of Main. Fine, stylish goods, latest designs in trimming, best attention to all, prices low, and everything first-class. Come.

Charles Victor Hall has removed his real estate office to room 309, Stimson block. If you wish to sell or exchange your property, call and see him in office, 10 a.m. till 2 p.m.

The finest photographs in the city at greatly reduced prices. Cabinets 75 cents per dozen, for a short time only. Lamson's studio, 315 South Spring street.

There will be a Thanksgiving dinner given for the News and Workingmen's Home, No. 527 Ducommun street. Contributions will be thankfully received.

Joseph Leuvenmark, the champion high diver, will give an exhibition at Westlake Park, Sunday afternoon, which will probably draw out a large crowd.

Have you heard George Robert Cairns, the evangelist? He speaks at the Young Men's Christian Association, Sunday, at 8 o'clock. Men only.

Illustrated lecture on Palestine this evening by Rev. M. H. Stine, in the English Lutheran Church, Eighth and Flower streets. Admission—25 cents.

Walton's emery sharpening files, to be had on vacant lot, No. 148 South Main street, Saturday, November 25. See posters for details.

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deliver a lecture on "Palestine," at the First English Lutheran Church. The board of managers for the Y. W. C. A. met at the rooms yesterday afternoon. The attendance at the rooms is increasing, and funds are being received on the pledges made.

Last evening, the First Brigade Signal Corps, under the command of Lieut. George E. Lawrence, headed by the Seventh Infantry Drum and Bugle Corps, under Drum-Major Robert W. Burns, paraded through the principal streets of the city.

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the County Clerk by the Rivera Exchange, formed for the purpose of packing, buying, and selling fruits and other produce, etc., with a capital stock of \$200, of which \$15 has been actually paid.

Board of directors: A. H. Dunlap, Albert Duml, P. O. Johnston, Silas B. Root and Tracy Abbott.

John P. Bragg, the lecture impresario of San Francisco, was in the city yesterday, and completed arrangements with the Fifth California Battalion of the Boys' Brigade for two illustrated lectures by Mrs. Hester A. Harland on the World's Fair and California Midwinter Exposition, illustrated by 250 views, showing the majestic buildings, the beautiful grounds, statuary, etc., and the interesting features of the Midway Plaisance.

THE OLD STORY.

Ordered a Continuance Because of the Complainant's Absence.

Late Saturday night a man named Arthur Bosman, presumably a member of the "mac" fraternity, was arrested by Officer Matrasiewicz, in the lower part of the city for assault with a deadly weapon. The fellow's slave, a young Norwegian woman, claimed that Bosman had fired a pistol close to her body, and had threatened to kill her. She exhibited an undergarment, which had hung on the wall, and been perforated by the bullet from Bosman's revolver. Usually it is a hard matter to make a complaint hold against such persons as Bosman, for the reason that the women are seldom willing to testify against their paramours when the cases come to trial. Bosman's victim did accused him for some time being a sufferer from heart disease, and that death had undoubtedly resulted from that cause. The woman's name was Sophie Mandigh, and she was 55 years of age.

Held to Answer.

Ed and Frank Shaffer, the two young fellows who were found with a box of soap, by Officer McDonald, Monday night, which they could not satisfactorily account for, were yesterday held to answer on the charge of burglary, by Justice Austin, bail in each case being fixed at \$1500.

Frank Ryan and A. C. Langton, the men who stole goods from Larsen's store, were yesterday held to answer for the same crime.

Died a Natural Death.

Coroner Cates was notified yesterday morning that a woman had been found dead in a room on Macy street. He at once investigated the case, but did not consider it necessary to hold an inquest, as he learned that the deceased had for some time been a sufferer from heart disease, and that death had undoubtedly resulted from that cause. The woman's name was Sophie Mandigh, and she was 55 years of age.

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To-day the World's Fair prize winners' exhibition opens at the Grand Central Palace, Forty-third street and Lexington avenue, New York City.

Many prominent features of the Chicago show besides the winning exhibits, including the Midway Plaisance, will be transferred to the new fair, which will attract thousands of visitors and is certain to be a huge success.

Another huge success is our display of Holiday Goods, selected with care from all parts of the world. Don't fail to visit the largest and oldest Curio store in the city.

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Indian God Advice.

Christmas Presents

He advises you to go to

Campbell's Curio Store,

325 S. Spring Street,

Specialties to send East.

Original and fine jewelry.

Please inspect our handsome stock.

People's Store

A Modern Dep't House.

Dress Goods.

It is a well known fact that we carry the finest line of Dress Goods in this city, and it is also a fact that we sell them lower than they could be bought for elsewhere.

50c a yard—250 pieces of all wool Novelty Suitings in striped, changeable and all fancy weaves; these goods are entirely new and are 40 inches wide, and cannot be duplicated under 65c.

75c a yard—40-inch Navy Blue Storm Serges; these are the goods that there is so much talk about; they are all wool and for wear cannot be equalled; they are actually worth \$1.

75c a yard—54-inch Dress Flannels in all the leading shades; for solid comfort you could not possibly buy anything in dress material better than this; it is worth \$1 a yard.

75c a yard—54-inch Novelty Weave Spot Suitings, something very handsome, that certainly will please you; we are showing them in different colors, and are a splendid value at \$1 a yard.

1.50 a yard—54-inch Fancy Cloakings; there has been a great demand for these goods, and at this price are a big seller; we have a nice line of them and consider them excellent value at \$1.85.

1.50 a yard—Silk and wool Novelty Suitings, the finest line ever shown in this city; they are 42 inches wide and make up exquisitely; they must be seen to be appreciated, every yard being worth \$2.

1.25 a yard—The handsomest collection of Novelty Silks ever shown, all colors and combinations; nothing ever shown in this city to equal them; they will be on display on our silk counter to-day; they are worth as high as \$1.75.

1 a yard—Evening Shades Figured Silk Crepes; they are as dainty as you ever saw, will make a very handsome costume, worth \$1.35.

1 a yard—Black Satin 27 inches wide, and just the thing for puff sleeves, being the exact width and a fine heavy quality; worth \$1.50.

1.75 a yard—Figured Satin Duchess Silks, the very latest, for the most magnificent combinations you ever saw; we freely confess we have never seen anything in the silk line to equal them; they are worth \$2.25.

75c a yard—Black Armour Suitings 42 inches wide and an extra fine quality, which will make a fine serviceable dress; it is all wool and worth \$1.

75c a yard—Evening Shades of all wool Cashmere of an extra fine quality, which can easily be dyed black after being worn for evening wear; we have Silks to match.

85c a yard—Black Persian Cord Suitings 42 inches wide and strictly all wool; this peculiar weave insures splendid wear and the color absolutely fast, every yard being worth \$1.

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Domestics.

We are the acknowledged leaders, always giving the best values for the least money, and we propose that it will always continue so.

10c a yd.—The finest quality of new Fall Dress Gingham, made by the best manufacturers and never sold less than 12½c.

6½c a yd.—Apron Check Gingham, a splendid line of colors, the same quality that always sells for 8½c.

25c each—Satin Damask Knotted Fringe Towels, a splendid size, and an excellent quality of linen, and worth 35c.

6½c a yd—32-inch Wash Suitings, very desirable patterns, in dark colors only, and worth 12½c.

25c a yd—36-inch Novelty Woolen Suitings, in plaids, stripes and spot effects, a large assortment and worth 35c.

15c a yd—Camelion Novelty Suitings, half wool, in changeable figured effects, the very latest thing shown, and worth 25c.

10c a yd—400 pieces of Outing Flannels, in light and dark colors, an excellent quality, that are worth 15c.

22½c a yd—All-wool Red Flannel, a good weight, that washes splendidly, and is worth 30c.

Glove Dept.

We have been adding several new lines of Gloves to this department, and can offer you the best values on the Coast.

1 a pair—4-button Dress Kid Gloves, in all the leading colors, large buttons, and worth \$1.25.

75c a pair—Genuine Biarritz Kid Gloves, a splendid variety of colors, and worth \$1.25.

35c a pair—Ladies' Taffeta Silk Gloves, 3-button length, the same Glove that we have always been selling for 75c.

1.25 a pair—4-button Suede Gloves, a superior quality, it will give perfect satisfaction, and worth \$1.75.

25c a pair—Babies' Woolen Mittens, we have a splendid line of these goods, and now is the time to buy them; every pair worth 35c.

2 a pair—The genuine Foster 7-hook Fancy Kid Gloves; these are the very latest goods manufactured by the best celebrated firm, and are worth \$2.50.

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Ladies' Und'rwear

We have the largest and finest assortment of any house in this city. This is not mere idle talk, but an acknowledged fact, and can be proven by any one who will look over our line.

25c each—Ladies' High Neck, Long Sleeves, Egyptian Vests; we have never in our experience seen anything to equal them under 50c.

1—Ladies' Gray Wool Vests or Pants, in either rib or flat; these are made with high neck and long sleeves, and will equal anything sold in this city at \$1.50.

1.50—Ladies' All-wool striped Flannel Skirts, neatly trimmed with braid, wash splendidly and will give perfect satisfaction, and worth \$2.

2—Ladies' All-wool Red Union Suits, nicely finished, non-shrinkable, and worth \$3.

1.75—Ladies' Black Wool Tights, one of the best values we have ever had in the house, and actually worth \$2.25.

50c—Ladies' Gray Cotton Union Suits; this is a line that we are closing out, and therefore have placed this low price on them; were you to buy them elsewhere they would cost you \$1.

1—Ladies' Muslin Night Dresses, made of the best quality of muslin, embroidery trimmed with Cascade front and made with sailor collar, very handsome, and worth \$1.50.

75c—Fancy Chenille Fascinators, in a beautiful line of colors; these are very handy to have, and are worth \$1.

Hosiery Dept.

We are making special efforts in this department in the way of ladies' and children's Hosiery, and propose to stand head and shoulders above anybody else.

12½c a pair—Ladies' Fast Black Hose, the best in the world for the money, and worth 20c.

25c a pair—Ladies' Fast Black Hose, silk finished, the finest gauge, color guaranteed and worth 40c.

38½c—Ladies' Fast Black Hose, nothing finer made, two thread, silk finished, and cannot be duplicated anywhere under 50c a pair.

12½c—Children's Fast Black Hose, full finished, sizes 7 to 8½, and worth 20c.

25c—Children's School Hose, either in narrow or wide rib, made with double heels and toes, 3-ply knee, and worth 35c.

25c—Children's All-wool Hose, made with double heels and toes, an excellent quality and worth 35c.

3 for \$1—Ladies' All-wool Ribbed Hose, these are full regular made and the best value you ever saw, and are worth 50c.

People's Store

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Men's Furnishings.

Sensible persons are no longer carried away by sensational advertising. No matter how much is promised in the newspapers, the completion of a purchase resolves itself into a question of dollars and cents, and the wise buyer takes into account how much he can save before parting with his money. Knowing this, we merely ask your attention to the following:

39c—Men's Camels' Hair Shirts and Drawers, excellent wearing qualities; real value 75c.

75c—Men's all wool Shirts and Drawers, well made and finished in the most excellent manner; we have all sizes from 34 to 46 inches; quality and finish are identically the same that are sold elsewhere at \$1.50.

1.98—Men's fine Australian Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers; they are the celebrated Norfolk and New Brunswick Goods, full regular made; one of the best qualities made for wear; worth \$2.50.